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LEEDS, FISHER, GARDINER, MATHEWS, ELTON, REVELL,
STACYE, TONKIN, MCLORINAN, DOWSE,
JEWETT, HUNT, REDDINGE, ISBELL,
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PREFACE.

The preparation of this history of the White Ancestry was commenced nearly seven years ago, but the research greatly exceeded the original plans of both the family and myself, as it was only intended to prepare a MS. account of the White, Stockton, Gardiner, Elton, McClaranan, and Dowse families. The result, however, was considered sufficiently satisfactory to warrant further investigation, and I was permitted to enlarge the scope of the work.

With this object in view I visited the States of Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Ohio, North Carolina, and Virginia, concluding with a voyage to England in the spring of 1883, and another in December of 1884; the result of the researches made during those trips being embodied in some twenty-two pedigrees, which the White family have finally decided to publish, in order that the information, gained at so much trouble and expense, may be preserved in a form accessible to all the descendants of those families, to whom I now have the honor of submitting the pedigrees, feeling confident that, while it is almost impossible to avoid some defects in a work of this character, no one can take exception to the facts, as each generation of the several pedigrees is established by what I conscientiously believe to be ample and authentic evidence,

much of which will be found in the copies of wills and other documents contained in the Appendix. In all cases, however, reference is given to the authorities, so that any one feeling a particular interest in any of the families can verify my statements.

In arranging the pedigrees I have devoted a chapter to each family, making the White family the first, and the first family into which they married the second, etc., giving a reference to the whole chapter when it is desired to indicate the ancestry of a person named, and reference to a particular page when it is only intended to call attention to a marriage and the descendants thereof. In transcribing dates I have adhered strictly to the records of the time, and must request any one who notices any apparent discrepancies to bear in mind that previous to the year 1752, when the Gregorian Calendar was adopted in England by Act of Parliament, the legal year began on the 25th of March. That act, which also affected the colonies, decreed that eleven nominal days should be omitted, the last day of the old style being Wednesday the 2d, and the first day of the new style (the next day) Thursday the 14th, instead of September the 3d, 1752, and the legal year, which had previously been held to begin on the 25th of March, was made to begin on the 1st of January.

In conclusion, I have great pleasure in acknowledging a deep sense of obligation to Dr. James W. White and his son Prof. J. William White for their kind encouragement and appreciation of my labors, and expressing gratitude for the advice and assistance which I have received at the hands of the Right Rev. the Bishop of Down; the Rev. Sir J. E. Philipps, Bart., Vicar of Warminster, Wilts; Sir Croker Barrington, Bart., of Ealy Place, Dublin; the Hon. and Rev. Mr. Kenyon, Rector of Malpas, Cheshire; the

Rev. Canon Grainger, of St. Patrick's House, Broughshane, County Antrim; the Rev. Canon Cholmondeley, of Chester; Stephen Tucker, Esq., Somerset Herald, College of Arms, London; Edward A. Bond, Esq., LL.D., etc., Librarian of the British Museum; Joseph J. Howard, Esq., LL.D., F.S.A., of Blackheath, Kent: B. Ll. Vawdrey, Esq., F.S.A., of Tushingham Hall, Malpas: Thomas Hughes, Esq., F.S.A., of the Groves, Chester; Challenor Smith, Esq., Chief Clerk of the Department of Literary Inquiry, Somerset House, London; Charles Hoyland, Esq., Recorder of the yearly meeting of Friends, Devonshire House, London; the Rev. C. A. Smith, Rector of Yatesbury, Wilts; E. D. Scull, Esq., of London; B. F. Stevens, Esq., of Trafalgar Square, London; the Hon. Wm. P. Saunders, Secretary of State for North Carolina; the Hon. Wm. H. Buell, of Clinton, Conn.: the Hon. John Clement, of Haddonfield, N. J.; William Rounds Potter, Esq., LL.B., of Philadelphia; J. D. Hall, Esq., Assistant Secretary of State for New Jersey; B. Fernow, Esq., Keeper of the Archives of the State of New York; John Jordan, Jr., Esq., Vice-President of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania; F. D. Stone, Esq., Librarian of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania; John Ward Dean, Esq., Librarian of the New England Historic-Genealogical Society; R. A. Brock, Esq.. Secretary of the Virginia Historical Society: the late W. A. Whitehead, Esq., Secretary of the New Jersey Historical Society; Prof. Edward Elbridge Salisbury, of Lyme, Conn.; Spencer Bonsall, Esq., of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania; William Kelby, Esq., of the New York Historical Society; the late S. H. Shreve, Esq., of New York City; the late C. P. Smith, Esq., of Trenton, N. J.;

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CHAPTER I.

WHITE FAMILY.

The White family were among the early arrivals in Virginia, and presumably came from England, as the name at that early date was not so general in Ireland, and the profession of the first settler of the name rendered it improbable that he was an Irishman. He was the Rev. George White, a clergyman of the Church of England, who in June, 1635, obtained a grant of 200 acres on the "Ranzemund River," and subsequently other large grants of land in what was then New Norfolk County, but which has since been subdivided. In 1637 his wife Blanche and their son Peter were mentioned, and in 1648 allusion is made to a wife Margaret. In 1639 a James White obtained a grant of 350 acres in James City County, and in 1644 a John White a grant of a building lot in James City, which was "bounded on the west by the Church Yard." What relationship these persons bore to the Rev. Mr. White, the first of the name in the province, the compiler is unable to say, as the county records of wills, conveyances, etc., were either destroyed or lost during the late war; but it seems highly probable that they were in some way connected with him, and possibly were brothers of Henry White, ancestor of the North Carolina family, who arrived in the province about that time and took up land in the same county.*

Unfortunately the compiler has not been able to connect them with any family in the "Old Country," nor to obtain any information about the Rev. George White which would afford a clew

*Virginia Patent Records, Land Office, Richmond, Va.: Book I, pp. 240 458-9, 589, 647, 659, 739, 810; Book II, pp. 10, 84, 176; Book III, pp. 1, 40, 310; Book IV, pp. 41, 190, 332, 595; Book V, p. 233; Book VI, p. 21.

to the ancestry of the others of the name in Virginia, though he visited England twice, when he examined all the likely sources of information, including the registers of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, which contain wills from all parts of the kingdom; besides examining the local wills of the County of Wilts, and the parish registers of Charlton, in that county, where a family of Whites resided, among whom the name of Henry is frequently found. Owing to the great number of English families of the name, he was reluctantly obliged to give up the quest, as he felt convinced that all researches, short of an investigation of the family history of all the Whites in the three kingdoms, must prove futile unless evidence should be discovered in Virginia which would identify them with some particular locality.

I. Henry White, 1st, of James City County, Virginia, planter, was, as has been previously stated, probably the brother of James and John White. His name first appears July 4, 1649, when he received a grant of 200 acres of land "lying in Black "Water, upon the easternmost branch, poynting up to Upper "Chipoakes, in the County of James Cittie, bounded east upon "the s'd swamp, north upon the Land of ffrancis England, "south towards the land of PeterWall, and west into the woods." September 25, 1663, when styled "Senior,"—the grant to his son, who was styled "Junior," which is afterwards referred to, bearing the same date and being recorded on the same page,—he obtained a patent for 200 acres on the south side of the Carolina River. In February (12th mo., O. S.) of that year he, together with Peter Gill, obtained a grant of 1000 acres in Charles City County, and May 9, 1666, one for himself alone of 1800 acres in Accomac County.* It is probable that Henry White did not long survive this purchase, but the absence of any county records for that period renders it impossible to ascertain the exact year of his decease.

Issue of *Henry White*, 1*st*, and ——— ———, his wife:†

i. Henry, *of whom hereafter.*

* Virginia Patent Records: Book II, p. 176; Book IV, p. 595; Book V, p. 333; Book VI, p. 21.

† Minutes and Records of Little River Monthly Meeting.

ii. Arnold, of Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina; m. Mary ———, who d. in March, 1678-9. He d. 3d mo. (May) 23, 1690, leaving issue an only son, Arnold. In his will, for which see *Appendix II*, he mentions his brothers, Henry White and Thomas Symons. See *Appendix I, No.* 3.

iii. [A Daughter], m. Thomas Symons, of Symons Creek, Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina.

II. Henry White, 2d, of Little River, Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina, planter, (son of Henry, 1st, and ———,) born in 1635, and, September 25, 1663, obtained from the Governor of Virginia, Sir William Berkeley, Knt., who at that time claimed the right of granting land in North Carolina, a patent of 700 acres in that province, which is described as being "on a small creek called Corawtucks, that falls into the Kec-"oughtauk River." See *Appendix III.* In the patent the watercourses are described by their Indian names, but this land was situate in what was afterwards Pasquotank Precinct, the river referred to being the Little River, as appears by a deed dated April 16, 1717, when his eldest son, Robert White, in consideration of £100, conveyed to Robert Lowry "all that land lying "and being within the patent of the s'd Robert Lowry, which "belonged to the s'd Robert White as eldest son of Henry White, "dec'd, & which was granted to his father in a King's patent, "bearing date ye 25: 7br (September), 1663."* In 1696 the authorities of North Carolina granted to "Mr. Henry White" a tract of land in Pasquotank Precinct, containing 100 acres.†

Mr. White was one of the most prominent members of the Society of Friends, being a minister and recorder of the Little River Quarterly Meeting. The first book of records of that meeting is principally in his handwriting, and, besides the matter usually entered in records of that character, contains copies of several wills and an original sermon in verse entitled "The Fall of Man," written and recorded by Henry White. The quarterly and monthly meetings were usually held at his house at Little River, and the following record of his death shows in what esti-

*Virginia Patent Records: Book IV, p. 595; Book A, Pasquotank County Deeds, p. 150.

†North Carolina Patent Records, Book I, p. 71. At that time the title of "Mr." was only given to some one having a claim to the rank of gentleman.—W. F. C.

mation he was held by his neighbors: "Our Dear and Well "beloved friend Henry White, Departed This Lyfe ye 3rd of ye 8 "mo: 1712, having been aged about 77: A True and faithful "man to God's Everlasting Truth." *

Henry White, 2d, married, first, about 1660, Mary ———, who died 3d mo. (May) 3, 1679, when he married, secondly, in 1680, Damaris Morrison, who died 9th mo. (November) 7, 1722.†

Issue of *Henry White, 2d*, and *Mary* ———, his first wife:‡

i. Margaret, b. 1662; m., 4th mo. (June) 24, 1679, Solomon, son of Richard Pool, of London, from whom descend Dr. Pool and Hon. Walter Pool, of Elizabeth City, North Carolina.
ii. Ann, b. at Little River, 10th mo. (December) 5, 1669.
iii. Elizabeth, b. at Little River, 10th mo. (December) 29, 1673; m., first, 4th mo. (June) 24, 1690, Amos Davis, and secondly, James Newby. See that family, *Chapter II.*
iv. Robert, *of whom hereafter.*
v. James, b. at Little River, 5th mo. (July) 20, 1676.
vi. John (twin), b. at Little River, 5th mo. (July) 20, 1676; m. Elizabeth, dau. of John Newby. See that family, *Chapter II*, and *Appendix I, No. 5.*
vii. Elkanah, b. at Little River, 2d mo. (April) 4, 1679.

Issue of *Henry White, 2d*, and *Damaris Morrison*, his second wife:⁂

i. Mary, b. at Little River, 8th mo. (October), 16 2; d. without issue.
ii. Damaris, b. at L ttle River, 12th mo. (February), 1684; m., 6th mo. (August) 8, 1700, Joh 1, son of Thomas Symons.
iii. Content.
iv. Henry, b. at Little River, 4th mo. (June) 25, 1690; m., 3d mo. (May), 1727, Ruth Keaton; removed to New River, and d. 2d mo. (April) 2, 1739. See *Appendix I, No. 6.*
v. Arnold, b. at Little River, 7th mo. (September), 1693; m. and settled in Perquimans County, N. C.
vi. Mary, b. at Little River, 7th mo. (September), 1696; m., 1st mo. (March), 1721, William Evergreen.
vii. Isaac, b. at Little River, 4th mo. (June) 24, 1700; d. 7th mo. (September) 2, 1715.
viii. Naomi, b. at Little River, 7th mo. (September), 1704; m., 5th mo. (July), 1732, James, son of James Newby. See *Chapter II.*

* Records and Minutes of the Little River Monthly and Quarterly Meetings.

† Records of Little River Meetings and Minutes of the Perquimans County Monthly Meeting.

‡ Records and Minutes of the Little River Meetings, and Minutes of the Woman's Monthly Meeting of Symons Creek.

⁂ Ibid.

III. Robert White, 1st, of Little River, Pasquotank Precinct, Albemarle County, North Carolina, planter, (eldest son of Henry, 2d, and Mary,) born at Little River, 11th mo. (January) 2, 1674.* In 1713 he, together with his brothers, John and Arnold, obtained a grant of 360 acres in Pasquotank Precinct, and in 1719, for himself alone, one of 70 acres in the same locality.† In 1727 he divided his slaves and some other personal property among his six children (see *Appendix IV*), and died some time prior to March 31, 1750, when his widow, Rebecca, conveyed to her grandson, John, son of John Overman, a plantation on Symons Creek which had been bequeathed to her by her stepfather, Mathew Calley.‡

Robert White, 1st, married, first, 6th mo. (August), 1702, Tabitha Alford, and secondly, 5th mo. (July), 1717, Rebecca, widow of Jacob Overman, and daughter of John Newby.§ See that family, *Chapter II.*

Issue of *Robert White*, 1*st*, and *Tabitha Alford*, his first wife:‖

i. Jonathan, m., 2d mo. (April) 10, 1729, Ann, dau. of Samuel Pike, and d. 11th mo. (January) 10, 1746. See *Appendix I, No.* 8.
ii. Zephaniah, living in 1749.
iii. Joseph, m., 4th mo. (June), 1736, Sarah Newby. See *Appendix I, No.* 9.

Issue of *Robert White*, 1*st*, and *Rebecca Newby*, his second wife:¶

i. Annes or Ann, m., first, Benjamin Mead, and secondly, in 1768, Thomas Amour.
ii. Elizabeth.
iii. Robert, *of whom hereafter.*

IV. Robert White, 2d, of Nixonton on the Little River, Pasquotank County, North Carolina, planter, (son of Robert, 1st, and Rebecca,) born at Little River about 1723–24, and inherited some property, but as his will is not now extant it is impossible to state of what it consisted. November 13, 1750, he purchased of Robert Bailey a plantation of 108 acres on the Little River, being last mentioned July 4, 1769, when, on his sister Ann's

* First Book of Records, Little River Monthly Meeting.
† North Carolina Patent Records, Book I, pp. 213, 298.
‡ Book B, Pasquotank County Deeds, p. 83.
§ Minutes of the Woman's Monthly Meeting of Symons Creek.
‖ See Deed of Gift, *Appendix IV.*
¶ Ibid.

second marriage, he acted as the trustee of her marriage settlement.*

Robert White, 2d, married, in 1751, Elizabeth ———, who survived him and died 10th mo. (October) 15, 1797, aged over 63 years.

Issue of *Robert White*, 2*d*, and *Elizabeth* ———, his wife:†

i. Jordan, b. 1752; m. Dorothy Beresford, dau. of Henry McCullock, Esq., of North Carolina, and formerly of Dublin, Ireland, by whom he had issue. He d. at Nixonton, 12th mo. (December) 3, 1800.‡ See *Appendix I, No.* 13.
ii. Robert.
iii. Reuben.
iv. James, *of whom hereafter.*
v. Elizabeth.
vi. Sarah.

V. James White, of Tuckerton, Burlington County, New Jersey, mariner, (son of Robert, 2d, and Elizabeth,) born at Nixonton, Pasquotank County, North Carolina, February 1, 1766;§ removed to Tuckerton about 1790, and purchased of Ebenezer Tucker a tract of 47 acres, which was surveyed for him July 7, 1809.‖ He died at Tuckerton, July 2, 1837, in the 72d year of his age.¶

James White married, at Tuckerton, in 1794–95, Mary, daughter of William and Mary Rose. See that family, *Chapter III.* She died at that place, April 3, 1824, aged 46 years.**

Issue of *James White* and *Mary Rose*, his wife:††

i. William Rose, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. Reuben, b. October 14, 1797; m. Hannah, dau. of Capt. Hezekiah Brown, Sr. See *Appendix I, No.* 20.
iii. Maria, b. March 21, 1800; m. Daniel Camp.
iv. Seymour, b. December 15, 1801; m. Maria Palmer. See *Appendix I, No.* 21.

* Pasquotank County Deeds: Book B, pp. 85, 128; Book I, p. 212.

† Second Book of Records, Little River Monthly Meeting, and Bible in the possession of Mrs. L. M. Lafore.

‡ Second Book of Records, Little River Monthly Meeting, and Book J, Pasquotank County Deeds, p. 286.

§ An old record in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

‖ Book C C, West Jersey Surveys, p. 163.

¶ Record in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

** Ibid.

†† Ibid.

v. ELIZA, b. April 20, 1804; m. Wm. Hughes.
vi. SARAH, b. May 12, 1806; m. Hezekiah Brown, Jr. See *Appendix I, No.* 22.
vii. JAMES EDWARD, b. February 1, 1808; d. July 27, 1848; m. Elizabeth Strauss.
viii. LUCINDA MARGARET, b. April 14, 1810; d. September 25, 1812.
ix. ANN, b. January 19, 1812; d. March 18, 1854; m. Thomas Crozier.
x. LUCINDA MARGARET, b. April 18, 1815; m., September 27, 1836, Armand Lafore, of Philadelphia. See *Appendix I, No.* 23.
xi. ROBERT MAYSON, b. October 11, 1817; d. March 5, 1858; m. Catharine McFarland.

VI. WILLIAM ROSE[6] WHITE, of Hulmeville, Bucks County, Pa., (eldest son of James and Mary,) born at Tuckerton, N. J., February 7, 1796. Shortly after his marriage, in 1821, Mr. White removed to Hulmeville, where he died, July 10, 1830, in the 35th year of his age, his will being dated July 3, and proved July 30, of that year.

William Rose White married, at Burlington, N. J., March 22, 1821, Mary, daughter of Samuel and Hannah Stockton. See that family, *Chapter VII.* Mrs. White, after her husband's decease, returned with her children to Burlington, where she died, July 31, 1862.*

Issue of *William Rose White* and *Mary Stockton*, his wife:†

i. SAMUEL STOCKTON, D.D.S., b. at Hulmeville, June 19, 1822; d. at Paris, France, December 30, 1879; m., March 31, 1846, Sarah Jane, dau. of Anthony Bigger Carey. See *Appendix I, No.* 24.
ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. and d. at Hulmeville, January 12, 1824.
iii. MARY JANE, b. at Hulmeville, April 2, 1825; m., February 22, 1848, Joseph Monier, of Philadelphia. See *Appendix I, No.* 25.
iv. JAMES WILLIAM, *of whom hereafter.*

VII. JAMES WILLIAM WHITE, of Philadelphia, Pa., A.M., M.D., D.D.S., (son of William Rose and Mary,) born at Hulmeville, Bucks County, Pa., September 29, 1826.‡

Dr. White studied medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, and received the degree of M.D. from that institution. He never, however, followed medicine as a vocation, though practicing somewhat extensively among his relatives and acquaintances, as well as among the poor. The honorary degree of

* Bible in the possession of Dr. James W. White.
† Ibid.
‡ Ibid.

D.D.S. was conferred upon him by the Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery, and the degree of A.M. by the St. Lawrence University of Canton, New York.

At an early age he entered the establishment of his uncle, the late Samuel W. Stockton, to learn the "art and mystery of the manufacture of incorruptible teeth." Shortly after his brother, the late S. S. White, attained his majority, he engaged with him in the same branch of manufacture, and, with the exception of one or two brief interruptions, has continued his association with the establishment, which, after the death of the elder brother, was formed into a stock company, and called The S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Company,—the largest concern of its class in existence, and of which Dr. White has been the president since its organization. Likewise for many years he has been the editor of *The Dental Cosmos*, a monthly periodical published by that company, and which is generally acknowledged to be the leading dental journal of the world. He is also a member of the firm of Hance Bros. & White, manufacturing chemists.

Dr. White assisted in the organization of the Maternity Hospital in 1872,—the first institution of its kind in the State of Pennsylvania. He was made its president at the first election, and has been reëlected to that position each succeeding year.

He was identified with the Freedmen's Aid Society; an active worker in the Sanitary Fair, and, as chairman of the Committee on Orations and Lectures of that great enterprise, secured the handsome return of $10,000 toward the grand footing. He managed "The People's Literary Institute" for seven years (before and during the war), and worked energetically in the maintenance of freedom of speech against much and bitter opposition, including at one time vigorous proceedings by the mayor of the city.

Denominationally he is a Universalist, and moderator of the Church of the Messiah, Philadelphia.

Dr. White was appointed president of the Department of Charities and Correction by Hon. Edwin H. Fitler, the first mayor of Philadelphia elected under the Bullitt bill. The announcement of his appointment was received with general approval by the press and the public.

Dr. White married, at Philadelphia, October 28, 1847, Mary Ann, daughter of James and Maria McClaranan.* See the McLorinan family, *Chapter XVI.*

Issue of *James William White* and *Mary Ann McClaranan*, his wife :†

i. James William, Ph.D., M.D., of Philadelphia, b. November 2, 1850; was graduated M.D. at the University of Pennsylvania in 1871, and in the same year obtained the degree of Ph.D. from that university, standing at the head of his class after a competitive examination, and receiving the full vote of each chair. Dr. White was shortly afterwards appointed to a position on the staff of Professor Agassiz, upon the Hassler Expedition, which sailed from Boston, December 4, 1871, reaching San Francisco August 31 of the following year. Dr. White contributed to the columns of the *New York Herald* a series of letters descriptive of the places visited and the work accomplished by the expedition. On his return to Philadelphia he was elected resident physician of the Philadelphia Hospital, and the next year appointed to the same position at the Eastern Penitentiary, which latter office he resigned in 1876 in order to devote his attention to private practice. In the following year Dr. White was elected surgeon of the First City Troop, with the rank of lieutenant, receiving in October, 1885, a commission from the Governor, being the first surgeon of that organization whose rank was officially recognized by the State. In the same month Governor Pattison also appointed him one of the inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George L. Harrison, Esquire. Dr. White is now (since October 5, 1886) one of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania, with the title of professor of physical education, and is also professor of genito-urinary surgery and demonstrator of surgery at the University, assistant surgeon of the University Hospital, senior surgeon of the Philadelphia Hospital, and consulting surgeon at the Maternity Hospital.

ii. Samuel Stockton, of Philadelphia, b. at Philadelphia, August 10, 1854; m., April 22, 1885, Ida May, dau. of Stephen Riegel, of Philadelphia, merchant. They have issue:

1. Ethel, b. May 13, 1886.

iii. Louis Piers, of Philadelphia, b. at Philadelphia, August 11, 1865.

* Bible in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

† Ibid.

CHAPTER II.

NEWBY FAMILY.

I. JOHN NEWBY was a member of the Society of Friends, and doubtless related to the family of Newby residing at Kendal, in the County of Westmoreland, England, who were among the early converts to Quakerism, and had suffered greatly for their religious belief.* There is, however, nothing to show that he ever came to North Carolina, though his children and widow resided in Pasquotank Precinct (now county) in that province, she being then the wife of Matthew Calley, a Friend, who in his will, which was dated April 16, 1699, bequeathed to his step-daughter, Rebecca Newby, a plantation containing 100 acres on Symons Creek, which after the decease of her second husband, Robert White, she conveyed to her grandson, John Overman.† In 1696 her sister, Elizabeth Newby, is in her marriage certificate styled "daughter of John Newby and daughter-in-law of Matthew Calley."‡

Issue of *John Newby* and ——— ———, his wife:⁂

i. JOHN, whose second wife, Elizabeth, d. March 6, 1720.

ii. JAMES, SR., m., first, Sarah ———, who d. 3d mo. (May) 13, 1718. They had issue:

1. Samuel, b. 1704.
2. Benjamin, b. 1707.
3. Ann, b. 1708.
4. James, Jr., b. 1710; m., 5th mo. (July), 1732, Naomi,[3] dau. of Henry and Damaris White.

* Besse's *Sufferings of the Quakers*, Vol. II, pp. 30, 50.

† Book B, Pasquotank County Deeds, p. 83.

‡ Minutes of the Little River Monthly and Quarterly Meetings.

⁂ Minutes of the Little River Monthly and Quarterly Meetings; Records of the Little River Monthly and Quarterly Meetings; Minutes of the Woman's Monthly Meeting of Symons Creek.

5. Hannah, b. 1713.

James Newby, Sr., m., secondly, Elizabeth, widow of Amos Davis, and dau. of Henry and Mary White, who d. 12th mo. (February) 1, 1728, "aged almost 55 years."

iii. GABRIEL, whose dau. Elizabeth d. 7th mo. (September) 10, 1730. when she was styled the wife of John Nixon.

iv. ELIZABETH, m., 11th mo. (January) 14, 1696, John White. See *Appendix I, No.* 5.

v. REBECCA, m., first, in 1699, Jacob Overman, who d. 7th mo. (September) 8, 1715. They had issue:

1. Rebecca, b. 1700.
2. John, b. 1702, who had issue by his wife, Mary, a son, John, b. 1730, to whom his grandmother conveyed the plantation which she had inherited from her stepfather.
3. Thomas, b. 1704.
4. Jacob, b. 1705.
5. Hannah, b. 1708.
6. Charles, b. 1712.
7. James, b. 1715.

Rebecca Newby m., secondly, Robert White. See that family, *Chapter I, p.* 5.

CHAPTER III.

ROSE FAMILY.

The first person of the name of Rose in this country of whom the compiler has knowledge was Robert Rose, a native of Ipswich, County Suffolk, England, who arrived in New England in 1634, accompanied by his wife and eight children, and settled at Wethersfield, Conn., in 1639. One of these children, Samuel, born in 1625, removed to Newark, in East Jersey, where he died, in 1698, without issue. The Roses do not at any time appear to have been members of the Society of Friends, and it is likely that all of the name in New Jersey were descended from Robert, of Wethersfield.* In the early part of the eighteenth century there were two of the name in Burlington County, West Jersey,—a Peter Rose, who resided at Burlington, and was married to Mary, daughter of John Hummel, by his wife, Gertrude, daughter of John Austin,† and an Ephraim Rose, *of whom hereafter.*

I. Ephraim Rose, of Little Egg Harbor Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, died some time prior to March 8, 1747, when letters of administration on his estate were granted to his widow, Martha.‡

Issue of *Ephraim Rose* and *Martha* ———, his wife:

i. Samuel, *of whom hereafter.*

ii. Ephraim, who, in 1746, with the consent of his wife Mary, disposed of some property in Little Egg Harbor Township.

II. Samuel Rose, of Little Egg Harbor Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (son of Ephraim and Martha,) occupied an estate which was situate on the westerly side of Rose's Brook,

* Collections of the New Jersey Historical Society, Vol. VI, Supplement, p. 132.

† Liber D, West Jersey Deeds, p. 199.

‡ Liber V, West Jersey Wills, p. 437.

near Parkertown,* containing 123 acres, seventy-three of which were surveyed for him May 22, 1753, and the remaining fifty April 18, 1754. The plantation was really much larger, as in July, 1797, when it was re-surveyed for his sons, Samuel and William, it consisted of 242 acres, of which one hundred and nineteen were overplus.† He died some time prior to June 18, 1762, when letters of administration on his estate were granted to his widow, Anne.‡

Samuel Rose married, in February, 1739, Anne Duckworth, of Burlington County.§

Issue of *Samuel Rose* and *Anne Duckworth*, his wife: ‖

i. SAMUEL, m. Hannah Carman.
ii. MARTHA, m. Capt. John Leak, of Bass River.
iii. WILLIAM, *of whom hereafter.*

III. WILLIAM ROSE, of Little Egg Harbor Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (son of Samuel and Anne,) was born about the year 1750. When his father's plantation was re-surveyed, July 18, 1797, his elder brother received that portion which included the homestead, and he obtained for his share the remaining half,¶ on which he had built his dwelling-house, where he resided until his decease, in 1804. In his house Bacon, the Tory refugee, was shot by the Continental soldiers. William Rose married, 1775–76, Mary, daughter of Seymour and Mary Cranmer.** See that family, *Chapter IV.* She died in 1812.

Issue of *William Rose* and *Mary Cranmer*, his wife:††

i. WILLIAM, b. 1776-77.
ii. MARY, b. April 11, 1778;‡‡ m. James White, of Tuckerton. See that family, *Chapter I, p.* 6.
iii. SEYMOUR, m. Mary Devinny.
iv. JAMES.
v. JESSE.
vi. JOEL, m. Rebecca Rodger.

* Proceedings of the Surveyor's Association of West New Jersey; Leah Blackman's *History of Little Egg Harbor Township*, p. 349.

† West Jersey Surveys, Liber S, VI, p. 229–30; Liber A A, p. 39.

‡ Liber XI, West Jersey Wills, p. 133.

§ New Jersey Marriage Licenses, February 26, 1739.

‖ *History of Little Egg Harbor Township*, pp. 349–50.

¶ Ibid., pp. 222, 349–50.

** Ibid.

†† Ibid.

‡‡ Record in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

CHAPTER IV.

CRANMER FAMILY.

The Cranmer family of New Jersey claim deseent from the celebrated Thomas Cranmer, Archbishop of Canterbury, who was burned at the stake May 21, 1556. There is no evidence, however, to support this claim, as the male line of the Archbishop became extinct. If descended from this family, it could only have been through his brother, Edward, Archdeacon of Canterbury, who died in 1604, aged 69 years, leaving issue a son, Thomas Cranmer, who had five sons. The first three generations of the family in New Jersey generally appear to have written their name Cramer or Crammer, though in 1707 * William, the son of the founder of the family, signed himself Cranmer. The first of the family, however, to adopt the latter form exclusively was Seymour Cranmer, but for convenience the compiler has used that form of spelling the name in each generation.

I. William Cranmer (Cramer or Crammer) settled originally at Southold, Long Island, from whence he removed to Elizabethtown, Essex County, East New Jersey, his name appearing among those who took the oath of allegianee, February 19, 1665. He was appointed constable of the town, April 27, 1670; was one of the freeholders, and possessed considerable property, most of which he sold in September, 1677, when he removed to the Hoar Kill (Lewes), Delaware.† His sons remained at Elizabeth, and he died some time prior to Deeember 4, 1689, when letters of administration on his estate at Elizabeth were granted to his eldest son, Thomas, who, Deeember 11, 1691, disposed of one-half of his farm and orchard in that town, his

* See *Appendix V.*

† Hatfield's *History of Elizabeth*, pp. 56, 73.

brothers, William and John Cranmer, agreeing not to molest the purchaser in his possession of the property.*

William Cranmer married, at Southold, Long Island, previous to his removal to New Jersey, Elizabeth, daughter of David Carwithy, who died at that place in November, 1665.†

Issue of *William Cranmer* and *Elizabeth Carwithy*, his wife:

i. THOMAS.

ii. WILLIAM, removed to Barnegat, where he became the first proselyte made by Edward Andrews, a prominent minister of the Little Egg Harbor Monthly Meeting. He afterwards removed to Little Egg Harbor Township, where he took up considerable quantities of land.

iii. JOHN, *of whom hereafter.*

II. JOHN CRANMER (son of William and Elizabeth) removed with his brother William to the lower part of Burlington County, where he was converted to the doctrine of the Society of Friends, but in 1707 returned to Elizabeth, which was within the verge of the Woodbridge Monthly Meeting, as appears by the certificate which he and his wife brought with them from the Monthly Meeting at Little Egg Harbor.‡ He did not, however, remain long at Elizabeth, as in October, 1709, he purchased of Thomas Brian, of Chesterfield, a "Two & Thirtieth p't of a Propriety of Land in ye Province of West New Jersey,"§ and shortly afterwards took up land in Bass River Township, Burlington County, West New Jersey.

John Cranmer married Sarah ———, by whom he had issue a son, Jeremiah, born at Elizabeth, 12th mo. (February) 4, 1707,‖ and probably other children besides his eldest son, John, *of whom hereafter.*

III. JOHN CRANMER, of Bass River Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (son of John and Sarah,) born about 1695–98, was a member of the Society of Friends, and died some time prior to April 14, 1760, when letters of administration were granted on his estate.¶

* Liber D, East Jersey Deeds, pp. 116, 336-7.

† Hatfield's *History of Elizabeth*, pp. 72-3.

‡ See *Appendix V.*

§ Liber B B B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 233.

‖ Records of the Woodbridge Monthly Meeting.

¶ Liber IX, West Jersey Wills, p. 416.

John Cranmer married, first, 2d mo (April), 1721, Mary Andrews, who died without issue shortly afterwards, when he married, secondly, 5th mo. (July), 1726, Rebecca Stout.* See that family, *Chapter V.*

Issue of *John Cranmer* and *Rebecca Stout*, his second wife :†

i. Jacob, m. Phœbe Valentine.
ii. Seymour, *of whom hereafter.*
iii. John, m., October, 1757, Margaret, dau. of John and Mary Smith. See that family, *Chapter VI.*
iv. Rachel, m. Edward Allen, Sr., of Bass River.
v. Elizabeth, m. Nehemiah Mathis, Sr.
vi. Rebecca, m. ——— Carter.
vii. Hannah, m. Joseph Burns, formerly of England.

IV. Seymour Cranmer, of Bass River Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (son of John and Rebecca,) was born about 1730, and had 100 acres surveyed for him on the westerly side of Bass River, November 17, 1756.‡

Seymour Cranmer married, in June, 1757, Mary, daughter of John and Mary Smith.§ See that family, *Chapter VI.* She died in 1807. Mrs. Cranmer was a member of the Church of England, and her husband's marriage very much displeased the meeting, which appointed a committee "to speak with John and Seymour Cranmer for going out to marry."‖

Issue of *Seymour Cranmer* and *Mary Smith*, his wife :¶

i. Mary, b. about 1758; m. William Rose. See that family, *Chapter III, p.* 13.
ii. Sarah, d. 1799.
iii. Christiana, d. 1824.
iv. Rebecca, m., 1781, Richard Cranmer.
v. Naomi, m. Edward Cranmer.
vi. Catharine.
vii. Jesse.
viii. Martha, m., 1797, James Anderson.
ix. Elizabeth, b. 1775; d. 1806.

* Minutes of the Little Egg Harbor Monthly Meeting.
† Leah Blackman's *History of Little Egg Harbor Township*, p. 301.
‡ Liber S, VI, West Jersey Surveys, p. 415.
§ New Jersey Marriage Licenses, June 23, 1757.
‖ Minutes of the Little Egg Harbor Monthly Meeting.
¶ David Seaman's *Pedigree of John Smith, Esquire*, pp. 4 and 5.

CHAPTER V.

STOUT FAMILY.

THERE is no doubt that the sisters, Rebecca Stout, wife of John Cranmer (see that family, *Chapter IV*, *p.* 16), and Penelope Stout, wife of Jacob Henry Falkenburg,* members of the Little Egg Harbor Monthly Meeting, were descendants, probably great-grandchildren, of Richard and Penelope Stout, of Middletown, N. J., as on the latter's decease, in 1712, aged 110 years, she is said to have had five hundred and two descendants.† A manuscript genealogy was compiled by a Mr. Stout, and is said to have been at one time in the possession of the father of Ex-Governor Parker, but that gentleman was not able to give the compiler any information on the subject.

Partial copies of the Stout MS. are in the possession of the Rev. G. C. Schenk, of Marlborough, N. J., and Dr. J. E. Stillwell, of New York City, but they do not give the names of Rebecca and Penelope Stout's parents, though Mr. Schenk writes the compiler that Richard, second son of Richard and Penelope Stout, settled at Squan Beach, where he raised a large family, and is likely to have been the father or grandfather of Rebecca and Penelope, who lived in that neighborhood.

I. RICHARD STOUT was the son of John Stout, a gentleman of good position in Nottinghamshire. He had a disagreement with his father, which caused him to leave England. Embarking on a man-of-war, he served seven years, being honorably discharged at New York,‡ where he remained until April 8, 1665, when he became one of the original incorporators of Middletown, East

* Married in the years 1726 and 1731 respectively. Minutes of the Little Egg Harbor Monthly Meeting.

† Edwin Salter's *Historical Reminiscences of Ocean County, N. J.*

‡ Ibid.

New Jersey. He continued to reside at Middletown, being one of the largest landed proprietors, until his decease, at an advanced age, in 1705. In his will, which was dated June 9, 1703, and proved October 23, 1705, he mentions his children as hereafter given.*

Richard Stout married, at New York, a widow whose maiden name was Penelope van Princess. She was born at Amsterdam, Holland, in 1602; died at Middletown, East Jersey, in 1712, aged 110 years, and is said to have been buried in the old graveyard near Holmdel, N. J., situate about one hundred yards from the residence of the late John S. Henderson, Esq.† The vessel in which Mrs. Stout and her first husband came over was stranded at Sandy Hook. The passengers, however, succeeded in landing, when her husband was overcome by illness, which prevented them from pushing on to New York with the rest of the party, who were afraid of being attacked by Indians. They were thus left alone, and shortly afterwards surprised by a company of Indians, who killed her husband, and left her for dead. She regained consciousness, and after concealing herself in a hollow log, subsisted for several days in part on the excrescences that grew from it, until discovered by an old Indian, to whose kindness and crude knowledge of surgery she was indebted for the recovery of her health and restoration to her friends in New Amsterdam. The most reliable account of Mrs. Stout's remarkable adventures will be found in Smith's *History of New Jersey*, published at Burlington in 1765. See *Appendix VI.*

Issue of *Richard Stout* and *Penelope van Princess*, his wife: ‡

i. JOHN, m., prior to 1675, Elizabeth ———, and d. prior to March 11, 1717, when "Capt. Richard Stout, of Middletown, Gent.," disposed of some property which he had inherited as son and heir of John Stout, late of the same place, deceased. ⁋

ii. RICHARD, m., prior to 1675, Frances ———; removed to Squan Beach prior to March 10, 1691, when he was styled of that place, planter. ‖

* Abstracts of Patents, No. XIV, p. 3, Secretary of State's Office, Albany, N. Y., and unindexed files of Monmouth County Wills, Secretary of State's Office, Trenton, N. J.

† Edwin Salter's *Historical Reminiscences of Ocean County, N. J.*

‡ Liber III, A, East Jersey Deeds, p. 1, and Richard Stout's will.

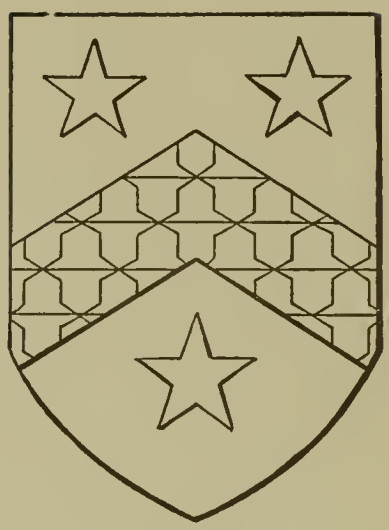
⁋ Liber D, II, East Jersey Deeds, p. 228.

‖ Ibid, p. 261.

iii. JAMES, first mentioned in 1675, m. Elizabeth .———
iv. PETER, first mentioned in 1675.
v. SARAH, first mentioned in 1675.
vi. MARY, m., prior to 1675, James Bond, of Middletown.
vii. ALICE, m., prior to 1675, John Throgmorton, of Middletown.
viii. JONATHAN, of Middletown, m. Ann ———.
ix. DAVID, of Freehold, b. 1669; m., 1688, Rebecca Ashton, by whom he had issue: *

1. James.
2. Freegift.
3. Joseph.
4. Benjamin.
5. Rebecca, m. John Manners.
6. Deliverance.
7. Sarah.

* Dr. Stillwell's copy of the Stout MS.



STOCKTON.

CHAPTER VII.

STOCKTON FAMILY.

In his *History of the Stockton Family*, Mr. J. W. Stockton states that Richard Stockton, the founder of the Stockton family of New Jersey, was the son of John Stockton, of Keddington, in the Parish of Malpas, County Chester, England, eldest son of Owen, of the same place, and that he was baptized in the parish church June 20, 1606. His reasons for supposing such to be the case were that the Hon. Richard Stockton, one of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence, states in his Bible that "Richard Stockton emigrated from England previous to "the year 1660, and resided for a few years on Long Island, "near the City of New York, and belonged to an ancient and "highly respectable family, and possessed an opulent fortune," and that the same gentleman used the arms of the Cheshire Stocktons, which were engraved on his watch.

Mr. Stockton has kindly allowed the compiler of this account of a branch of the family to have access to his notes used in the preparation of the genealogy, but after a careful examination of those papers and a thorough and exhaustive search of the records at Flushing and Jamaica, Long Island, and at Albany, the compiler failed to find satisfactory authority for Mr. Stockton's statement.

Richard Stockton died in 1707. His eldest son, Richard, was married in 1691, and died in 1709, when his children were all under age. His second son, John, was born in 1674; his youngest daughter, Elizabeth, was not born until the year 1680. His widow, Abigail, who is by the will of his eldest son proved to have been the mother of all his children, was living in 1714, when she divided some land between her sons, John and Job.

The compiler has arrived at the conclusion that Richard Stockton, of Flushing, and Springfield Township, New Jersey,

was not identical with the Richard Stockton, son of John and grandson of Owen, who is mentioned by Mr. J. W. Stockton, a conclusion led to by investigations which he made in England during his visits to that country. The Richard Stockton (son of John) previously referred to as being baptized in 1606 was not the son of John Stockton, of Keddington, it being clearly proved, by two separate visitations of the county, that in 1613 his "eldest sonne et heire" was Thomas, then aged 4 years. It appears, however, by the registers of the parish that a John Stockton of "higherwich in ye psh of Malpas" had a son Richard, baptized June 20, 1606, but the compiler cannot identify him with the immigrant.

The Stocktons of Cheshire were undoubtedly a very ancient family, and are proved to have been established in the Parish of Malpas, where they were at one time lords of the manor, for at least 400 years prior to the seventeenth century, when the most important branch of the family still owned lands at Stockton and Keddington, in that parish, other branches being settled in the parishes of Acton and Barrow. The compiler has made what he believes to have been a very thorough investigation of all the sources of information in London, including the wills, etc., of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, besides examining the parish registers, local wills, and records of marriage licenses in Cheshire, and finally, as a last resource, advertising in the newspapers for the record of marriage of Richard and Abigail Stockton, but unfortunately without success, as the marriage probably took place some time between the years 1640 and 1656, during the troublesome times of the Civil War, when the parish registers and records of marriage licenses were very much neglected.

The names of Richard and John were great favorites with the Cheshire Stocktons long before Richard Stockton immigrated to this country and perpetuated them among his distinguished descendants. Considering this, and the fact that the arms of the Stocktons of Keddington were used by their American cousins at an early stage of their history, the compiler is able to say that he fully agrees with Mr. J. W. Stockton in claiming a connection between the English and American families. He even feels justified in assuming that Richard Stockton, of Flushing, etc., was

descended from John Stockton, Esquire, of Keddington (eldest son of Thomas, of the same place), who about the year 1550 married Eleanor, daughter of Vivian, grand-daughter of Owen, and sister and heiress of Daniel Clayton, of Chorleton. They had issue several daughters and five sons, viz., Owen, Thomas, Randall, William, and John. Their third son, Randall, became a merchant, and removed to London, where he died some time prior to 1657, having married his cousin, Elizabeth Clayton, of that city, who survived him, and by whom he had issue Richard, *of whom hereafter*, Francis, and Cecilia. Richard proved his mother's will, of which he was executor, February 16, 1658, but died a few days afterwards, when his widow, Dorothy, continued the executorship. The compiler has never been able to trace the descendants of this gentleman, which is a source of great regret to him, as the evidence, though only circumstantial, seems to point to the conclusion that he was the father of Richard Stockton, of Flushing, Long Island, and afterwards of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey.

[The pedigree on the two succeeding pages will serve to illustrate the compiler's remarks about the English Stocktons, and is inserted with the hope that it may prove of interest to the American family.]

I. Richard Stockton, of Flushing, Long Island, Esquire, and afterwards of Oneânickon, Springfield Township, Burlington County, West Jersey (who is presumed to have been a descendant of John Stockton, Esquire, of Keddington, in the Parish of Malpas and County of Chester, who about the year 1550 married Eleanor Clayton), arrived at Flushing, from England, some time prior to November 8, 1656, when his name appears in a petition of some of the inhabitants of that town requesting the release of William Wickendom, who had been fined and imprisoned for preaching without a license. In 1685 he was one of the freeholders of Flushing, as appears by a deed of that date* confirming the old Dutch patent of 1645.†

In 1675 his estate at Flushing consisted of 12 acres of land, one negro slave, five horses, five cows, and five swine, and in

* Original petition at the Department of Archives, Albany, N. Y.

† Abstracts of Patents, Vol. III, p. 65, Secretary of State's office, Albany, N. Y.

STOCKTON OF KEDDINGTON.

Thomas Stockton, of the parish of Malpas, County Chester, was no doubt descended from the same family as David de Stockton, who, in the year 1250, inherited the Manor of Stockton in that parish from his father, and whose direct line terminated in an heir female who m. Robert de Eaton, ancestor of the present Duke of Westminster. William Stockton, of Ipswich, a descendant of Thomas, used the same arms as this David de Stockton.

ANCIENT ARMS.

Vert, three stocks of trees ragaled and erased, argent.

MODERN ARMS.

Gules, a chevron vaire, argent and azure, between three mullets or.

John Stockton, of Keddington, married first about the year 1550. = 1st Wife. Eleanor, dau. of Vivian, gr. dau. of Owen, and sister and heir to Daniel Clayton, of Chorleton, parish of Malpas. = 2d Wife. Alice, dau. of —— Mare.

- Richard Stockton. — Roger Stockton.
- Hugh Stockton. — Peter Stockton.
- John Stockton. — Randall Stockton.
- Amy Stockton.

Owen Stockton, of Keddington, d. December 2, 1610. Eldest son, and twin with Thomas, who d. without issue. His will was dated November 22, 1610, when his youngest child, Alice, was under age. He bequeathed all his real estate, plate, jewels, etc., to his eldest son, and legacies to his other children and a number of relatives. = Mary, dau. of John Wright, of Bickley, parish of Malpas.

Randall Stockton, of London, Merchant, d. prior to 1657, when his widow resided at Battersea, Co. Surrey; 3d son. = Elizabeth, dau. of —— Clayton, of London. Will, dated in 1657, mentions sister Cecilia Rattit.

- William Stockton. — John Stockton.
- Mary Stockton, d. without issue.
- Eleanor Stockton, m. William Cong.
- Alice Stockton, m. Hugh Bickerton.
- Elizabeth Stockton, m. —— Burthow.

Richard Stockton proved his mother's will February 16, 1658, but died a few days later, when his widow, Dorothy, administered both estates. Though no trace can be found of his descendants, it seems highly probable that he was the father of Richard, the immigrant.

Francis Stockton, mentioned in 1613, and again in 1657.

Cecilia Stockton, mentioned in 1613, but not in 1657.

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John Stockton, of Keddington, eldest son, d. June 18, 1643. In the parish church is a memorial to his father, under which is a smaller brass plate recording his own death. = Sarah, daughter of John Hawkeshead, of County Salop.

Margaret Stockton, m. William Lloyd.

Eleanor Stockton, m. John Dodd.

Alice Stockton, m. Robert King, B.D.

Thomas Stockton, of London; Attorney of the Common Pleas; 3d son.

Elizabeth, dau. of Jno. Taylor, of Sohen, Co. Chester. = Reverend Owen Stockton, of East Larent, in the County of Sussex, Bachelor of Divinity; 2d son. His will was proved in 1635, and dated the year previous, when all his children were under age.

Thomas Stockton, of Keddington, was styled eldest son and heir in a pedigree of 1613, when he was 4 years of age, and was mentioned in the will of his uncle, the Rev. Owen Stockton, which was dated in 1634. He had issue, among others, John, bapt. in 1644; Edward, bapt. in 1649; and Morris, bapt. in 1654.

Owen Stockton was 2 years of age in 1613, and left issue a son and heir, John Stockton, who, in the visitation of Cheshire made in 1664, was styled "of Stockton and Keddington in the parish of Malpas, Esquire." Until the restoration of Malpas Church, in 1884, the old family pew was in a good state of preservation, having this gentleman's name and the date "1684" carved on one of the panels.

William Stockton, of Ipswich, County Suffolk; 3d son. = 1st Wife. Anne, daughter of ——— Godson, of Manchester.

2d Wife. = Martha, dau. of Richard Griffith, of Sutton House, near Montgomery.

John, 1st son.

Thomas, 2d son.

Owen, 4th son.

Francis, 5th son.

Owen Stockton, aged 4 years in 1664.

Thomas Stockton.

Britannia Stockton.

Anne Stockton.

AUTHORITIES.

Harl. MSS., No. 2187, *fo.* 114, *No.* 1535, *fo.* 268 *b*; *Add. MS., No.* 5529, *fo.* 66 *b*; *Ormerod's Hist. of Cheshire*; *Reg. P. C. C., Sadler, fo.* 112, *Pell, fo.* 69; *Cheshire Wills*; *Malpas Parish Reg.*; *Visitations of Chester and Suffolk*, 1664; *College of Arms.*

1683 of 10 acres of upland, the same slave, two horses, four oxen, seven cows, four swine, and twenty sheep.* This did not, however, represent the full amount of his landed estate, as will be seen by the following: "10 mo. (December) 15, 1690, Richard "Stockton's proposal for all his housing, lands and conveniences "belonging thereunto, being about 70 acres or more at home "and 2 ten acre lotts and 2 twenty acre lotts at a mile or two "distance, with so much medow as may yield 20 or 25 loads of "hay a year, price £300." This proposal is entered in an account-book kept by John Bowne, of Flushing, who acted as his agent in this matter.† Mr. Stockton must have been in easy circumstances at that time, as on the 30th of the next month, January, 1690, O. S., he purchased of George Hutchinson his house and plantation called Oneanickon, which consisted of about 2000 acres,‡ though he did not succeed in disposing of his property at Flushing until March 12, 1694, when, "in consideration of three "hundred pounds good and lawful money of the Province of "New York, Richard Stockton, formerly of ffflushing, with the "consent of his wife Abigail," conveys to John Rodman "his "messuages or tenaments Situate lying and being by coast on "the Bay commonly called Mattagareson bay, within the bounds "of fflushing, being about eighty acres of land more or less, wth "all y^{e} Privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, as "also a piece of Salt medow commonly called y^{e} Lumkill, which "was belonging to Richard Stockton by virtue of his interest in "the s'd towne of fflushing."§ April 22, 1665, he was commissioned, by Governor Nicolls, lieutenant of the Horse Company of Flushing, and in 1669 elected lieutenant of the Foot Company of the same place, which office the Governor allowed him to decline, as he had previously been engaged in the horse service.‖ This shows that he was not originally a member of the Society of Friends, as military employment was directly

* *Documentary History of New York*, Vol. II, p. 263, and *New York Colonial Documents*, Department of Archives.

† Extracts from the original in the possession of the late Henry Underdonk, Jr., Esq., of Jamaica, L. I.

‡ Liber B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 338, styled "late of Flushing."

§ Liber B, I, Queen's County Deeds, p. 228.

‖ Vol. II of Deeds, p. 26, Secretary of State's office, and Book II of Orders, p. 580, Department of Archives, Albany, N. Y.

opposed by that religious body, though he afterwards became one of their number, as appears by an entry in John Bowne's Account-Book, in 1686, when he purchased some "Friends' books."

Richard Stockton died at an advanced age, at his house at Oneanickon, in September, 1707, his will being dated January 25, 1705–6, and proved 8th mo. (October) 10, 1707. See *Appendix IX.* He divided his property equally between his three sons, Richard, John, and Job; bequeathing his house to his son Job, who was to have possession on the decease of his mother. He also directed that after her death his personal property should be divided among their five daughters. He married, in England, Abigail ———, who is last mentioned April 14, 1714, when she conveyed some property to her sons, John and Job Stockton.*

Issue of *Richard Stockton, Sr.*, and *Abigail* ———, his wife:

i. Richard, Jr., m., August 1, 1691, Susanna Robinson, and was grandfather of the Hon. Richard Stockton, of Princeton, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.† See *Appendix VII, No.* 2.

ii. John, *of whom hereafter.*

iii. Job, m. Anna Petty.‡ See *Appendix VII, No.* 4.

iv. Abigail, m Richard Ridgway, Sr.§ See *Appendix VII, No.* 5.

v. Mary, m., first, George Shinn; m., secondly, Silas Crispin; m., thirdly, Richard Ridgway, Jr.‖ See *Appendix VII, No.* 6.

vi. Sarah, m., about 1697, Benjamin Jones, of Burlington County, New Jersey, and had issue.¶

vii. Hannah, m. Philip Phillips.**

viii. Elizabeth, b. in 1680; m. William Budd.†† See *Appendix VII, No.* 7.

II. John Stockton, of Oneanickon, Springfield Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (second son of Richard, Sr.,

* Liber B B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 184.

† Chesterfield Monthly Meeting Records; Liber I, West Jersey Wills; Liber D, West Jersey Deeds, p. 400; Liber E, III, East Jersey Deeds, pp. 278, 288; Liber F, East Jersey Deeds, p. 35.

‡ West Jersey Wills: Liber III, p. 229; Liber V, p. 281.

§ Will of Richard Stockton, Sr. See *Appendix IX.*

‖ Liber B, II, West Jersey Deeds, p. 612; Burlington Monthly Meeting Records.

¶ Liber B, II, West Jersey Deeds, p. 620.

** Will of Richard Stockton, Jr., who bequeathed a legacy to his brother-in-law, Philip Phillips.

†† William Bradford's family tree.

and Abigail,) was born at Flushing, L. I., in 1674. About that time his parents became members of the Society of Friends, whose religious meetings he attended, both at Flushing and Springfield, having, in 1690, accompanied his father to the latter place. During the celebrated controversy between the Society and George Keith he became a disciple of the latter's party, and with many others went over to the Church of England, being baptized at St. Ann's (now St. Mary's) Church, Burlington, September 24, 1703.* He was evidently a man who had the good opinion and confidence of those who knew him, as, August 27, 1705, Margaret Waus, of Philadelphia, appointed "her friend John Stockton, of Oneanickon," attorney for the sale of considerable property in West Jersey.† The homestead in which he lived and died was on a farm of 400 acres belonging to the Oneanickon estate, which had been given him by his father about the time of his first marriage. He also possessed a two-and-thirtieth part of a propriety of land in West Jersey, which was conveyed to him in December, 1713, by his father-in-law, Daniel Leeds, Esq., as part of his wife's dowry.‡ He died March 29, 1747, æt. 73 years, and in his will, which was dated August 31, 1745, and proved April 4, 1747,§ directs that his proprietary rights and his plantation be equally divided between his sons, Daniel and David, who were to pay certain legacies to their sisters. See *Appendix X.*

John Stockton married, first, in 1704, Mary, daughter of Daniel and Dorothy Leeds. See that family, *Chapter VIII.* She died about 1715, when he married, secondly, Ann ———, who died at Burlington, July 25, 1745, æt. 68 years.‖

Issue of *John Stockton* and *Mary Leeds*, his first wife:

i. Daniel, *of whom hereafter.*

ii. Rebecca, m. David Lippincott. See *Appendix VII, No.* 14.

Issue of *John Stockton* and *Ann* ———, his second wife:

i. David, m., October 3, 1733, Ruth Lippincott. See *Appendix VII, No.* 15.

* Records of St. Mary's Church, Burlington.

† Liber A A A, West Jersey Deeds, p. 210.

‡ Liber E F, West Jersey Deeds, p. 269.

§ Bible of Joseph Wetherill, of Philadelphia, his grandson, now in the possession of Miss Mary Ann Wetherill, of 348 S. Fourth street, Philadelphia.

‖ Her daughter Mary Wetherill's Bible, now in the possession of Miss Anna Earl, of Burlington.

ii. [A DAUGHTER], m. ——— Butterworth.
iii. RACHEL, m. ——— Briggs.
iv. MARY, m. Christopher Wetherill, Jr., of Burlington. See *Appendix VII, No.* 16.

III. DANIEL STOCKTON, of Rancocas, Willingborough Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (eldest son of John and Mary,) was born at Oneanickon, November 10, 1705.* His younger brother, David, inherited that part of their father's plantation at Oneanickon which included the dwelling-house, and he obtained as his share the remaining half, which he shortly afterwards conveyed to his brother.† Having thus disposed of his property in Springfield, he removed to Willingborough Township, taking up land on Rancocas Creek, where he continued to reside until his decease, in March, 1763, his will being dated February 10, 1755, and proved March 23, 1763. See *Appendix VI.*

Daniel Stockton married, in July, 1728, Hannah Fisher,‡ of Burlington County. See that family, *Chapter IV.* She was born April 14, 1710, and died June 8, 1797.§

Issue of *Daniel Stockton* and *Hannah Fisher*, his wife:‖

i. ANN, b. April 21, 1729; m. ——— Carma.
ii. JOHN, *of whom hereafter.*
iii. ELIZABETH, b. November 26, 1732; m. ——— Jones.
iv. ABIGAIL, b. July 31, 1735; m. James Gaskill.
v. DANIEL, b. September 13, 1737; m Patience ———. See *Appendix VII, No* 25.
vi. HANNAH, b. July 8, 1739; d. without issue.
vii. DOROTHY, b. January 27, 1740; d. without issue.
viii. RICHARD, b. January 29, 1744.
ix. THEODOSIA, b May 5, 1747.
x. ABRAHAM, b. September 19, 1749; m. Susanna Kemble. See *Appendix VII, No.* 26.
xi. WILLIAM, b. October 20, 1752; m., first, Hannah Elkinton, and, secondly, Elizabeth Rodgers. See *Appendix VII, No.* 27.

IV. JOHN STOCKTON, of Rancocas, Willingborough Township,

* An old record in the possession of Christiana Stockton Hall, of Philadelphia, widow of Samuel S. Hall, Esq.

† Liber A S, West Jersey Deeds, p. 253.

‡ New Jersey Marriage Licenses, July 1, 1728.

§ An old record in the possession of Christiana Stockton Hall, of Philadelphia, widow of Samuel S. Hall, Esq.

‖ Ibid.

Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (eldest son of Daniel and Hannah,) was born August 29, 1730.* His property consisted of a house and lot of land which he had purchased from his father's plantation; 65 acres bought of his brother Daniel, and other lands which he had received as his share of his father's estate. He died at Rancocas in December, 1763, bequeathing his estate to his eldest son, John, and legacies of money to his younger son, Samuel, and daughters Hannah, Rhoda, and Sarah. His will was dated November 4, and proved December 19, 1763. See *Appendix XII.*

John Stockton married, in February, 1750,† Hannah Jones, who was born October 11, 1730.‡

Issue of *John Stockton* and *Hannah Jones*, his wife: §

i. Hannah, b. November 3, 1751; m. Philip Ackerman.
ii. Mary, b. October 30, 1753.
iii. John, b. February 26, 1756, and d. at Burlington, May 8, 1832, having m , in October, 1777, Mary, dau of Thomas and Susanna Gardiner,‖ who d. August 16, 1822. See that family, *Chapter X*, and *Appendix VII*, *No.* 36.
iv. Rhoda, b. May 15, 1758; m. Abraham Kinsey.
v. Sarah, b. July 13, 1760; m. Benjamin Naylor.
vi. Samuel, *of whom hereafter.*

V. Samuel Stockton, of the City of Burlington, N. J., (second son of John and Hannah,) was born at Rancocas, December 6, 1762. Mr. Stockton settled in Burlington, and lived in a house on Main street which is still standing and was built on the site of the house originally occupied by his wife's ancestor, the first Thomas Gardiner, of Burlington. He died there, November 4, 1847, æt. 84 years, and was buried in the graveyard of the Broad-street M. E. Church, his will being dated November 6, 1840, and proved December 8, 1847. See *Appendix XIII.* The late Henry Armitt Brown, Esq., in his oration delivered at the bi-centennial celebration of the settlement of Burlington, speaks of Mr. Stockton as one of the most influential citizens of that place.

* Record in the possession of Mrs. Christiana Stockton Hall.

† New Jersey Marriage Licenses, February 4, 1750.

‡ Record in the possession of Dr. James W. White, of Philadelphia.

§ Ibid.

‖ New Jersey Marriage Licenses, October 11, 1777, and inscriptions in St. Mary's Churchyard, Burlington, N. J.

Samuel Stockton married, first, June 10, 1784, Hannah, daughter of Thomas and Susanna Gardiner. See that family, *Chapter XI.* She died at Burlington, April 7, 1817, when he married, secondly, Vashti Austin, widow of his brother-in-law, John Gardiner, by whom he had no issue.*

Issue of *Samuel Stockton* and *Hannah Gardiner*, his first wife:†

i. William Smith, b. April 8, 1785; m., first, Elizabeth Sophia Hewlings; m., secondly, Emily Hephzibah Drean. See *Appendix VII, No.* 53.
ii. Susan, b. February 22, 1787.
iii. John, b. August 8, 1788.
iv. Hannah, b. January 3, 1791; m. Thomas Armstrong.
v. Elizabeth Gardiner, b. June 24, 1792; d. unm., June 1, 1872.
vi. Thomas, b. May 16, 1796.
vii. Mary, b. October 7, 1797; m. William Rose White. See that family, *Chapter I, p.* 7.
viii. Samuel Wesley, b. October 19, 1800.
ix. Rhoda, b. April 18, 1803; d. November 10, 1874; m. John Huff.

* New Jersey Marriage Licenses, and a record in the possession of Dr. James W. White, of Philadelphia.

† Ibid.

CHAPTER VIII.

LEEDS FAMILY.

I. Thomas Leeds, born in England about 1620, arrived in New Jersey, with his three sons, about the year 1677, and settled at Shrewsbury, in East Jersey. He was probably a cooper, as his son Daniel, who at one time followed that calling, mentioned in one of his Almanacs that, though his father was a poor mechanic, he was nevertheless descended from a gentleman of Kent, whose arms he describes as follows, viz: "A fess between three eagles displayed, two in chief and one in point." These are engraved on an old silver seal at present in the possession of Daniel Leeds, Esq., of Philadelphia, son of the late Daniel Leeds, Esq., of Westfield, Burlington County, N. J. Mr. Leeds was doubtless, like his sons, Thomas and Daniel, a member of the Society of Friends. He died intestate, in 1687, as, December 2 of that year, letters of administration on his estate were granted to his son, William Leeds, of Middletown, planter, who, July 15, 1688, conveyed 112 acres of land in Monmouth County to his brother, Daniel Leeds, of Burlington County.*

Issue of *Thomas Leeds* and ——— ———, his wife:

i. Thomas, of Shrewsbury; m., 8th mo. (October) 6, 1678, Margaret Collier, by whom he had issue two sons, Daniel and William. His will was dated 9th mo. (November) 10, and proved December 20, 1687.†

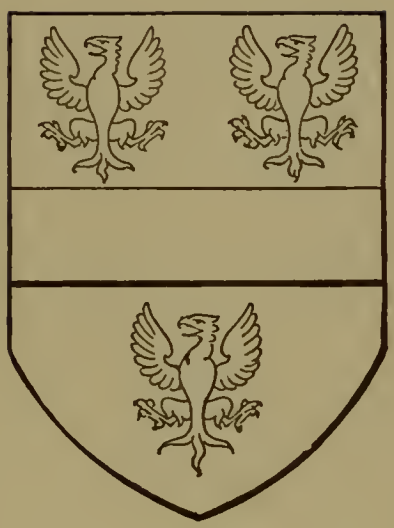
ii. William, of Middletown.

iii. Daniel, *of whom hereafter.*

II. Daniel Leeds, of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, Esquire, (son of Thomas and ———,) was born about 1655. He settled in Burlington County in 1680,

* Liber B, East Jersey Wills, pp. 214, 461.

† Ibid., p. 217, and Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting.



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the year of his first marriage, when he was styled "late of Shrewsbury, in East Jersey, cooper." He did not, however, follow that calling long, as in 1681 he was appointed Surveyor-General of the Province of West New Jersey, which position he held until the close of the year 1710. His book of surveys covering that period is still in a good state of preservation, is known by his name, and can be found at the office of the present surveyor-general, where also is the original of the accompanying Map of Burlington, which was made by Daniel Leeds in 1696, and is the oldest map of that city now extant. This was one of the most responsible and difficult positions in the province, and his having remained the incumbent for a period of twenty-nine years clearly proves him to have had a good knowledge of his profession. It is evident that he had the advantage of a somewhat better education than most of his contemporaries.

Mr. Leeds was also a compiler of Almanacs, which were issued as early as 1682, as appears by an entry in the minutes of the Burlington Monthly Meeting, for which see *Appendix XIV.* He continued to publish them for many years, and was succeeded by his son Titian.*

In 1682 he served as one of the members of the Assembly, but does not appear to have been reëlected. In 1703, on the arrival of the new Governor, Viscount Cornbury, he became one of the most active partisans of that nobleman, serving during the entire term of his administration as one of his Council, until finally unseated, on the petition of Messrs. Forster, Townley, Hoddy, Hall, Harrison, and Hamilton, addressed to the Lords of Trade, who, May 31st, requested Her Majesty Queen Ann to remove Mr. Leeds and Mr. Thomas Revell, which request was granted at a meeting of the Queen in Council, June 26, 1708.

The petitioners alleged that he was one of the persons made use of by Lord Cornbury to keep out unjustly three members of the Assembly, one of whom was Thomas Gardiner, Esq., until they had procured several acts to pass which were very prejudicial to the country.† June 7, 1708, he was commissioned fourth

* These Almanacs can be found at the Philadelphia Library, and at the libraries of the New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania Historical Societies.

† New Jersey Archives, Vol. III, pp. 2, 64, 155, 290, 301, 309.

judge of the Supreme Court, having previously served as one of the justices of the peace for the County of Burlington.*

Mr. Leeds was originally a member of the Society of Friends, but at the time of the Keith controversey became a follower of that party, and with many others went over to the Church of England. In his will, which was dated June 27, and proved October, 1720, he describes himself as "holding fast his confi-"dence in ye faith and Doctrine of ye Church of England, believ-"ing it in yt Respect to be one of ye best Churches in ye world." He directed that his estate, which was quite large (the personal property being valued at over £600), should be divided equally among his children then living, and bequeathed legacies to his grandchildren, Daniel and Rebecca Stockton. See *Appendix XV.*

He married, first, 11th mo. (January) 7, 1680, O. S., Ann, daughter of Robert Stacy, who died 12th mo. (February) 4, 1681;† secondly, in 1682, Dorothy, daughter of Robert Younge, with whom he received a dower of 250 acres in Burlington County;‡ and, thirdly, in 1705, Jean Abbott, widow of Edward Smout, by whom he had no issue.§

Issue of *Daniel Leeds* and *Ann Stacy*, his first wife:‖

i. Ann, b. 12th mo. (February) 3, 1681; d. without issue.

Issue of *Daniel Leeds* and *Dorothy Younge*, his second wife:¶

i. Japhet, b. October 24, 1683; bapt. February, 1704-5.
ii. Mary, b. April 19, 1685; bapt. September, 1704; m. John Stockton, of Oneanickon. See that family, *Chapter VII, p.* 28.
iii. Felix.
iv. Philo.
v. Heloise, b. March 24, 1692–3; bapt. July, 1704.
vi. Basthanna (twin), b. March 24, 1692-3; bapt. April 9, 1705.
vii. Ann, b. February 17, 1694-5; bapt. April 9, 1705.
viii. Daniel, b. June 5, 1697; bapt. April 9, 1705.
ix. Titian, b. August 25, 1699; bapt. April 9, 1705.

* Liber A A A of Commissions, p. 85.

† Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting, and Liber B of West Jersey Deeds, p. 71.

‡ Minutes of Burlington Monthly Meeting, and Liber B, I, of West Jersey Deeds, p. 16.

§ Burlington Court Records and *Appendix XV.*

‖ Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting.

¶ Records of St. Mary's Church, Burlington.

CHAPTER IX.

FISHER FAMILY.

I. John Fisher, of Burlington, West New Jersey, Esquire, was an active member of Lord Cornbury's party, and during his administration High Sheriff of Burlington County. Mr. Fisher died in 1715, his will being dated April 9, and proved May 1, of that year. He left legacies to his cousin, John Fisher, and St. Mary's Church, Burlington, and the rest of his estate to his children, Edward Fisher, David Fisher, and Ann, wife of John Hancock.*

Hannah Fisher, who was born in 1710, and married Daniel Stockton (see that family, *Chapter VII, p.* 29), was a daughter of one of John Fisher's sons, or of his cousin John, but of which the compiler has been unable to determine, as at that time the registers of St. Mary's were very much neglected, and contain no record of her birth.

* Liber II, West Jersey Wills, p. 15.

CHAPTER X.

GARDINER FAMILY.

The family of Gardiner was established in the South of England, at the town of Warminster, in the County of Wilts, in the early part of the sixteenth century, and had probably resided there for generations prior to that, as the parish registers, which date from the year 1556, contain, even at that time, frequent mention of the family. The earliest mention of the name is the record of burial, August 10, 1557, of "Alis Gardiner," who apparently belonged to a generation preceding that of Richard Gardiner, with whom this pedigree begins.*

The name appears in the registers of the parish in various ways, Gardiner, Gardner, Gardnor, etc., but as the family, with the exception of the first Thomas of Burlington, and his father Thomas of Warminster, always spelt it Gardiner, the compiler has thought it best to adhere to that form throughout.

I. Richard[1] Gardiner, of Warminster, County Wilts, was twice married. His second wife, Elizabeth Burdges, whom he married January 20, 1579, was buried October 28, 1632, having survived him.†

Issue of *Richard Gardiner* and ——— ———, his first wife: ‡

i. William, bapt. October 2, 1569; bur. October 22, 1569.
ii. John, bapt. September 23, 1571; bur. March 14, 1576.
iii. Thomas, *of whom hereafter.*
iv. John, bapt. April 12, 1576; d. young.
v. Joan, bapt. January 20, 1577; bur. October 20, 1578.
vi. John, bapt. November 20, 1578. Afterwards of Wyndhill, and had issue by his wife Mary two daus., Mary and Bridget.

Issue of *Richard Gardiner* and *Elizabeth Burdges*, his second wife: ⁒

i. Elizabeth, bapt. November 22, 1580.

* Registers of the Parish of Warminster, County Wilts, England.
† Ibid.
‡ Ibid.
⁒ Ibid.

ii. CHRISTIAN, bapt. August 29, 1582.

iii. RICHARD, bapt. November 29, 1584; bur. April 7, 1659; m., first, January 18, 1608, Mary Vallas, who d. June 6, 1609; m., secondly, June 10, 1611, Joan Taylor, by whom he had issue Elizabeth, Edward, Richard, and Mary.

iv. ROBERT, bapt. November 14, 1588; bur. April 3, 1657; m., October 22, 1612, Mary Wansey, by whom he had issue Jane, Robert, Richard, Joan, Robert, and Edward.

v. ELEANOR, bapt. July 2, 1592.

vi. EDITH, bapt. March 25, 1599.

II. THOMAS[3] GARDINER, 1st, of Warminster, County Wilts, (eldest surviving son of Richard by his first wife,) baptized December 6, 1572, and died about 1640, leaving issue two sons.*

Issue of *Thomas Gardiner*, 1*st*, and ——— ———, his wife:†

i. JOHN, m., November 18, 1622, Elizabeth Sweatman, by whom he had issue three daughters.

ii. THOMAS, *of whom hereafter.*

III. THOMAS[4] GARDINER, 2d, of Warminster, County Wilts, (son of Thomas, 1st,) married, November 10, 1628, Dorothy Stayples, who died without issue, when he married, secondly, August 22, 1631, Jane Boges,‡ who was living July 2, 1662, when he made his will bequeathing one shilling to each of his children, and constituting her his sole executrix and residuary legatee. See *Appendix XVI.* Thomas Gardiner, 2d, was buried July 22, 1676.§

Issue of *Thomas Gardiner*, 2d, and *Jane Boges*, his second wife:‖

i. JANE, bapt. December 21, 1631; bur. November 30, 1660.

ii. THOMAS, *of whom hereafter.*

iii. MARY, bapt. March 16, 1637.

iv. ELIZABETH, bapt. December 19, 1641.

IV. THOMAS[5] GARDINER, 3d, of Warminster, County Wilts, afterwards of Burlington, in the Province of West New Jersey, (son of Thomas, 2d, and Jane,) was born at Warmnister, in 1633, and during his father's life was known as "The Younger."¶ March 11, 1678, while residing at Warminster, he, together with Thomas Gerrish, of Bromham, County Wilts, purchased of Anthony Elton, of Yatesbury, in the same county,

* Registers of the Parish of Warminster, County Wilts, England.

† Ibid.

‡ Ibid.

§ Ibid.

‖ Ibid.

¶ Ibid.

two-fourths of two full equal and undivided eighth parts of one full equal and undivided ninetieth part of ninety one-hundredths parts or shares of the Province of West New Jersey.* Shortly after this, owing to the persecution to which the English Friends were subjected, and the fact that his daughter Hester had married John, son of Dr. Daniel Wills, one of the Proprietors of West Jersey, who was then living in Burlington County, Mr. Gardiner, with his whole family, immigrated to the town of Burlington. On his arrival he signed the "Concessions and Agreements of the Proprietors, Freeholders, and Inhabitants of the Province of West New Jersey in America." This document was dated March 3, 1676, and subscribed by 153 persons, some of whom had signed in London on that date, and others in Burlington as they arrived in the province.†

He brought with him considerable estate, and immediately commenced the building of his dwelling-house, which, though made of logs, was of larger dimensions than any other among his neighbors, and was finished with more care and expense. In it, on the 28th day of the 6th mo. (August) 1681, was held the first yearly meeting of Friends in New Jersey. Before it was finished the Friends in Burlington held their meetings in a tent made of the sails taken from the vessels in which they crossed the ocean, but after that time the meetings generally assembled at his house until the completion of the "great Meeting-House." His subscription of £4 towards the building of it was the largest amount received.‡ "It was from y^e^ house of Thomas Gardiner that y^e^ horn was blown which convened y^e^ Town Meetings," and he was doubtless one of the principal officers of the town. In 1680 his name appears in the Burlington court records as a freeholder and constable, but it is impossible to enumerate the offices which he held in other years, as the Town Book dates only from the year of his decease. His house, which was the most important in the early history of Burlington, was the second above Pearl, on the west

* Liber B B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 74.

† See Smith's *History of New Jersey*, and the original document at the Surveyor-General's office.

‡ Clement's *History of Newton Township;* James Boden's *History of Friends*; Minutes of Burlington Monthly Meeting.

side of High street, next to that of the Governor, Samuel Jennings.* In his will, dated 1694, he bequeathed to his son, Thomas Gardiner, his "dwelling-house with all ye Lott of Land "from Amos Wills to Richard Wills—Throughout on ye High "Street in Burlington—after ye Decease of my wife, Elizabeth "Gardiner." The property on each side changed hands shortly afterwards, as in Leeds's Map of Burlington, made in 1696 (for which see p. 33), his house and lot, then in the possession of his son, is located between the lands of T. Rodgers and Richard Lane.

Mr. Gardiner, after his arrival in Burlington, appears† to have devoted himself principally to the cultivation of his estate and his public duties, having been, in 1681, elected a member of the Assembly and one of the Governor's Council, and annually reelected to those offices until his death. In 1682 he was appointed one of the judges of the courts of Burlington County, serving in that capacity for several years, and in 1683 one of the commissioners for dividing and regulating land, and one of the treasurers of the province. Some of these appointments were continued through several years, until Mr. Gardiner refused to serve.‡ His death is thus recorded in Smith's *History of New Jersey:* "In September, 1694, died Thomas Gardiner; "he arrived early at Burlington, went through several publick "stations in West Jersey with a good character, had consider- "able knowledge in a variety of business, and was an exemplary "member of society, civil and religious."

He did not, however, die until November or December of that year, as his will was dated November 24, and proved December 15, 1694. At that time he was building a brick house, which he bequeathed to his daughter Elizabeth. See *Appendix XVII.*

Thomas Gardiner married, in England, about 1655, Elizabeth ———, who died at Burlington about 1696.

Issue of *Thomas Gardiner*, 3*d*, and *Elizabeth* ———, his wife :⁂

i. Hester, bapt. at Warminster, September 22, 1656, and m., in England, John Wills, of Northampton, one of the Proprietors of

* Henry Armitt Brown's Bi-Centennial Oration.

† Liber B B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 74.

‡ Smith's *History of New Jersey; Leaming and Spicer's Laws;* Liber B B B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 82.

⁂ See his will, *Appendix XVII;* Warminster Parish Registers, and Burlington Monthly Meeting Records.

West Jersey, who accompanied his father, Dr. Daniel Wills, to that province, and settled in Burlington County. She d. at Burlington, leaving issue.

ii. THOMAS, *of whom hereafter.*

iii. JOHN, m., at Burlington, 10th mo. (December) 19, 1689, Elizabeth, dau. of William Righton, but d. without issue a few months before his father, bequeathing to each of his nephews and nieces the sum of forty shillings, "to be layed out in Silver Spoons for theyre use," and to his brother Thomas his "cote and the Silver Buttons and ye Breeches belonging thereto."

iv. JANE, m., at Burlington, 10th mo. (December) 3, 1690, Samuel Marriott, of Bermudas, near Burlington, mariner.

v. ELIZABETH, m., at Burlington, 4th mo. (June) 11, 1695, Abraham Bickley, of East Jersey, and d. 10th mo. (December) 2, 1698, leaving issue three children. Mr. Bickley settled at Burlington, but afterwards removed to Philadelphia, and d. in 1747.

V. THOMAS[5] GARDINER, 4th, of Burlington, N. J., Esquire, (eldest son of Thomas, 3d, and Elizabeth,) was baptized at Warminster, County Wilts, July 7, 1658, and at the age of twenty accompanied his father to West Jersey, succeeding him as one of the Proprietors of the province.

In 1686, shortly after his marriage, he removed to Newton Township, in Gloucester County, and settled on part of his father-in-law's estate, called "Groverline" or "Groverly," where he remained until 1697,* when he returned to Burlington, and resided on his property in that town which he had inherited from his father. While living at the former place he was one of the trustees of the Friends' Meeting and a judge of the courts of Gloucester County, then held at Red Bank.† After his return to Burlington he was, in April, 1698, elected Recorder of the town, holding that office until 1702, when he was elected Burgess, which office he was, however, obliged to resign the next year,‡ on account of his duties as a member and Speaker of the first Provisional Assembly of New Jersey.

In 1703 the Provinces of East and West Jersey were united under one government, administered by Lord Cornbury, who convened the General Assembly to meet at Perth Amboy, when

* *Besse's Book*, p 2, and papers marked "John Gosling," unindexed files of Burlington County Wills.

† Clement's *History of Newton Township*, p. 360, and *Leaming and Spicer's Laws.*

‡ *Burlington Town Book.*

Thomas Gardiner was chosen Speaker. Mr. Gardiner was favorably received by his lordship, whom he addressed on the subject of the privileges claimed by the Assembly. In reply to this the Governor made a speech to the Council and General Assembly, to which the Speaker replied as follows: "I am commanded by "this House to return your Excellency our hearty thanks for "your Excellency's many kind expressions to them, contained "in your Excellency's speech, and it is to our great satisfaction "that Her Majesty has been pleased to constitute your Excellency "our Governor. We are well assured that the Proprietors, by "the surrender of their rights to the government of this Prov-"ince, have put us in circumstances much better than we were "under their administration; they not being able to protect us "from the villainies of wicked men; and having an entire depend-"ence upon Her Majesty that she will protect us in the full en-"joyment of our rights, liberties, and properties, do think our "stars have been very propitious in placing us under the gov-"ernment and direction of the greatest of Queens, and the best "of laws; and we do entreat your Excellency to believe that our "best endeavors shall not be wanting to accomplish those things "which shall be for the satisfaction of the Queen, the general "good of the country, and, if possible, the universal satisfaction "of all people. With our prayers to the God of Heaven, we "shall join our utmost endeavours to unite our unhappy differ-"ences, and hope, with the assistance of your Excellency and "Council, it will not be impossible to accomplish that blessed "work. We shall follow the directions given in your Excel-"lency's speech with what dispatch the nature of things require, "and hope that all our consultations may conduce to the best "and greatest ends."* Mr. Gardiner's subsequent contentions with the Governor and his party are best described in the words of one of his descendants, the late John Stockton Littell, Esq., of Elton House, Germantown: "Matters in the Council pro-"gressed smoothly for a while, and the conduct of the Governor "justified the compliment contained in the Speaker's address. "But his disposition could not long be concealed from those with "whom he was immediately connected in the government. The

*Smith's *History of New Jersey.*

"character of Lord Cornbury, a near relation of the Queen, is "well known to the readers of our early history to have been "vicious in the extreme. There was, moreover, no bounds to "his extravagance. Soon after he took possession of the gov- "ernment he became unsupportably tyrannical and arbitrary. "Parties existed even at that early period, and the Governor had "his adherents. It is, however, a source of satisfaction to the "writer that the Speaker was not of that number; but that he "was possessed of courage, energy, and ability sufficient to op- "pose and check the encroachments of Lord Cornbury upon the "privileges of the Assembly and country; and as an inevitable "consequence we find him obnoxious to his high displeasure. "Thwarted in some of his lawless measures by the position and "influence of the Speaker, and as the only method of gaining "the object he desired, he abruptly dismissed the Assembly, and "issued the writs for a new election. He dismissed the Assem- "bly 'with many more encomiums than many of them received "on their return to their homes.' The character and ability of "Mr. Gardiner secured his reëlection, notwithstanding the op- "position of the Governor and his adherents; but the majority "of the delegates were of a different stamp, and tamely suffered "the intrigues and arbitrary practices of Cornbury to deprive "them of the services of three of their most influential mem- "bers, Thomas Gardiner, Thomas Lambert, and Joseph Wright, "under the pretense of not owning land enough to qualify them "to sit there, though they were known to be men of large and "sufficient estates, and the same Assembly at their next meeting "at Amboy, in 1705, themselves declared that 'the members had "heretofore fully satisfied the House of their being duly qualified "to sit in the same,' and they were then admitted to their seats— "the purposes of their exclusion having been answered. This "sitting was in October and November. These purposes were "the ejection of Gardiner from the Speakership, and the election "of a more pliant instrument in the hands of the Governor."

He was one of the members of the Council of Proprietors for the years 1706, 1707, 1708, and 1709, in which year the Council and Assembly procured the recall of Lord Cornbury and the appointment of Lord Lovelace in his place.*

*Smith's *History of New Jersey.*

Mr. Gardiner's death is thus recorded in the minutes of the Council of Proprietors: "1712. This year died Thomas Gar-"diner, of Burlington; many times mentioned before. He was "well acquainted with public business, a good surveyor, and use-"ful member of society; several years one of the Council, treasu-"rer of the Western Division, and the first Speaker of the As-"sembly after the union of East and West Jersey." He had served as Surveyor-General of the Western Division,* which was at that time a position of great trust and responsibility, that officer being required to review all the maps and locations of land made by the several deputy surveyors, and to examine the calculations as to quantity of acres named, to test the several bearings as marked upon the maps, and to certify to the Council that they were correct in every particular.

He died intestate some time prior to September 15, 1712, when letters of administration on his estate were granted to Robert Wheeler and Joshua de Cow, Esquires. On the 25th of that month Isaac Pearson, son-in-law of the late Thomas Gardiner, Esq., was ordered to make an inventory of the goods and chattels.†

Thomas Gardiner married, first, at Burlington, 4th mo. (June) 25, 1684, Hannah, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Mathews.‡ See that family, *Chapter VI.* She died in 1700. Having conveyed certain property to Samuel Jennings and Joshua Humphries in trust for his sons, Thomas and Mathews Gardiner, he married, secondly, at Burlington, 8th mo. (October) 14, 1701, Elizabeth, sister to Philip Richards, of New York, merchant, by whom he had no issue. She died some time prior to 1712, when William Basnett, her son by a former marriage, conveyed to his step-father, Thomas Gardiner, the "brick house in Burlington," which afterwards descended to Mathews Gardiner.

The second Mrs. Gardiner had married, first, William Frampton, of Oyster Bay, Long Island, by whom she had issue Thomas, Elizabeth, and Sarah Frampton. He died at Philadelphia, in November, 1686, when she married, secondly, in December, 1688, Richard Basnett, of Burlington, but formerly of London, a widower, and father-in-law of the Deputy Governor, Edward

* Minutes of the Council of Proprietors.

† Liber I, West Jersey Wills, p. 378.

‡ *Appendix XVIII.*

Hunloke, who died 8th mo. (October), 1694, leaving issue by her one son, William, who was born in 1690, and married Sarah Gardiner, daughter of his mother's third husband, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Hannah.*

Issue of *Thomas Gardiner, 4th*, and *Hannah Mathews*, his first wife: †

i. Thomas, d. without issue prior to 1712.
ii. Elizabeth, m., in 1707, Benjamin Furness, of Burlington.
iii. Hannah, m., in 1710, Isaac Pearson, of Burlington.
iv. Grace, m. Samuel Bustill, Esq., of Burlington, a member of the Church of England, and Deputy Registrar of the Province of West New Jersey.
v. Sarah, m. William Basnett, of Burlington.
vi. Mary, unm. and living at Philadelphia in April, 1719.
vii. Mathews, *of whom hereafter.*

VI. Mathews Gardiner, of Willingborough Township, Burlington County, N. J., mariner, (son of Thomas, 4th, and Hannah,) was born in 1698, being aged 14 years and upwards September 25, 1712, when, at his own request, his uncles, John Wills and Abraham Bickley, were appointed guardians of his person and estate. See *Appendix XLV.* His elder brother having died without issue before his father, he when yet a minor became one of the Proprietors of the Province. On attaining his majority, in April, 1719, his guardian, Abraham Bickley, and his sisters, Elizabeth Furness, Hannah Pearson, Grace Bustill, Sarah Basnett, and Mary Gardiner, conveyed to him certain properties which they had held in trust,‡ and July 21st of that year he confirmed to his three last-mentioned sisters all his claim, interest, and demand of and from all that estate in the city of London which his father did assign and set over to them.§ This was probably part of that property owned by his maternal great-grandfather, Richard Mathews, of London.

Not long after this he leased his properties in Burlington, and removed to Willingborough Township, where he died in August, 1731. In his will, which was dated May 28, and proved Sep-

* West Jersey Deeds: Liber B B, pp. 141, 153; Liber G H, p. 53; unindexed files of Burlington County Wills; Liber A, Philadelphia County Wills, p. 41; Minutes and Records of the Philadelphia and Burlington Monthly Meetings.

† Liber I, West Jersey Wills, p. 378; Liber B B, West Jersey Deeds, pp. 141-6; Minutes and Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting.

‡ Liber B B, West Jersey Deeds, pp. 141-7.

§ Liber N, West Jersey Deeds, p. 437.

tember 3, 1731, he bequeathed to his eldest son, Thomas, a lot of land on Pearl street, Burlington, and all his proprietary rights in the Province of West New Jersey or elsewhere: to his second son, Abraham, a lot of land in Burlington, whereon the brick house commonly called "Basnett's House" lately stood, and a house and lot of land on High street, which was probably the one occupied by his father and grandfather; and to his daughter, Mary, a lot of land on the east side of High street in that town. He made his wife, Sarah Gardiner, executrix and residuary legatee, and directed that his children should be brought up with "good learning and free from charge." See *Appendix XV.*

Mathews Gardiner married, in 1720, Sarah ———, who married, secondly, in December, 1733, Abraham Perkins, a widower, by whom she had issue.*

Issue of *Mathews Gardiner* and *Sarah* ———, his wife:†

i. Mary, b. 9th mo. (November) 8, 1721; m., 1743, Samuel Hunt, of Burlington.

ii. Thomas, *of whom hereafter.*

iii. Abraham, b. 11th mo. (January) 12, 1723.

VII. Thomas Gardiner, 5th, of Burlington, N. J., (eldest son of Mathews and Sarah,) born 12th mo. (February) 13, 1722.‡ He served his apprenticeship at Philadelphia, and returned to Burlington in 1745, bringing with him a certificate from the Monthly Meeting, for which see *Appendix XVI.* Mr. Gardiner resided on the Pearl-street property bequeathed him by his father, whom he succeeded as one of the Proprietors of the Province. August 9, 1755, he sold 1020 acres in Gloucester County, and at various times after this disposed of other large tracts of land in different parts of the province,§ leaving at his decease little of his inheritance, which had at one time been very considerable. He died June 1, 1780, and June 6 letters of administration on his estate were granted to his eldest son, Thomas Mathews Gardiner.‖

* New Jersey Marriage Licenses, December 4, 1733, and Liber XI, West Jersey Wills, p. 400.

† Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting, and Liber H, West Jersey Deeds, p. 5.

‡ Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting.

§ West Jersey Deeds: Liber M, p. 430; Liber Y, p. 13; Liber A G, p. 267.

‖ Records of Burlington Monthly Meeting, and Liber XXII, West Jersey Wills, p. 206.

Thomas Gardiner married, in June, 1748, Susanna, daughter of Anthony and Bathsheba Elton.* See that family, *Chapter VII.* She died at the residence of her son-in-law, John Stockton, of Trenton, August 2, 1810, and was buried in St. Mary's Churchyard, Burlington, on the 4th of that month.

Issue of *Thomas Gardiner, 5th*, and *Susanna Elton*, his wife: †

i. Bathsheba, b. April 6, 1749; m., August, 1774, Timothy Thomas, of Burlington.
ii. Mathews, b. October 6, 1750; d. young.
iii. Abraham, b. October 24, 1751; d. young.
iv. Sarah, b. March 7, 1754; m., March, 1781, Joseph McCulley, of Trenton.
v. Thomas Mathews, b. June 17, 1756; m., September, 1777, Keturah Champion, of Burlington.
vi. Mary, b. April 5, 1758; m. John Stockton, of Burlington. See that family, *p.* 30.
vii. Hannah, b. December 26, 1760; m. Samuel Stockton, of Burlington. See that family, *Chapter VII, p.* 30.
viii. Abraham, b March 20, 1763; m., 1785, Olivia Gamble, of Burlington, by whom he had issue.
ix. Susanna, b. October 22, 1765; d. young.
x. Elizabeth, b. October 28, 1768; m Daniel Fenton, of Trenton.
xi. Nancy, b. January 21, 1771.
xii. John, b. May 30, 1774; m. Vashti Austin, who on his decease became the second wife of his brother-in-law, Samuel Stockton. See that family, *Chapter VII, p.* 31.
xiii. Susanna, b. January 5, 1777; m. Stephen Littell, Esq., by whom she was mother of Eliakim Littell, Esq., editor of *Littell's Living Age;* John Stockton Littell, Esq, of Elton House, Germantown, and Dr. S. Littell, of Philadelphia, all deceased.

* New Jersey Marriage Licenses, June 16, 1748.

† Thomas Gardiner's Bible, in the possession of F. Gardiner Stiles, Esq., of New York City, and New Jersey Marriage Licenses. Information concerning some of the marriages supplied by the late Dr. S. Littell, of Philadelphia, and August R. Hall, Esquire, of the same city, a grandson of Abraham and Olivia Gardiner.

CHAPTER XI.

MATHEWS FAMILY.

I. Nicholas Mathews (or Mathewes), of Reading, in the County of Berks, England, died prior to the year 1624, leaving issue a son, Richard, *of whom hereafter.**

II. Richard Mathews, cloth merchant and citizen of London, afterwards of Stoke Newington, in the County of Middlesex,† (son of Nicholas,) was born in 1610, and, December 6, 1624, apprenticed to John Webster, of the Clothworkers' Company, obtaining the freedom of that ancient corporation in 1631, after serving his apprenticeship of seven years.‡ He was one of the Proprietors of the Province of West New Jersey, his name being the eighth in the list of 153 persons who signed the "Concessions and Agreements."§ His signature was attached to that document in London, as he did not immigrate, but sent his son to look after his interests, which were very extensive, he having in March, 1676, purchased "one full equall and undivided ninetieth "p't of y't undivided tract of land called West New Jersey, in "America," and in August, 1678, one-sixth of a like share of the province. He sold a part of this land to John Haddon, of Rotherithe, in Surrey, from whose family the village of Haddonfield, in New Jersey, takes its name. The conveyance was dated June 20. 1699, and in it he is styled "Richard Mathews, formerly of London, Blackwell Hall, factor, and now of Stoke Newington, in ye County of Middlesex and Kingdom of England."‖

* Certified extract from the Registers of the Clothworkers' Company of the City of London, in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

† Liber G, III, Gloucester County Deeds, p. 458.

‡ Certified extract from the Registers of the Clothworkers' Company of the City of London, in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

§ Original document at the Surveyor-General's office, Burlington, N. J.

‖ Liber G, III, Gloucester County Deeds, p. 458.

In 1683 a survey of 500 acres was returned in his name as made in Newton Township, Gloucester County, upon which now stands the larger part of the village of Haddonfield.* June 15th, when described as "Citizen of London, in the Kingdom of England, merchant," he, through his attorney, disposed of 100 acres of this tract; the remainder being afterwards bought by John Haddon, in whose family it remained for many years.†

Richard Mathews died in England about the year 1702, having had issue a son, Thomas, *of whom hereafter.*

III. Thomas Mathews, of the Parish of St. Sepulchre, City of London, carpenter, and afterwards of Groverline, Newton Township, Gloucester County, in the Province of West New Jersey, (son of Richard,) arrived in the province about the year 1678, accompanied by his second wife and his only child, Hannah, the daughter by his first marriage. His father had either conveyed to him a portion of his proprietary rights or made him his proxy, as in 1688 he is mentioned as one of the Proprietors of West Jersey.‡ In 1684 Edward Byllinge, with the consent of George Hutchinson, appointed him his attorney for the sale of thirty shares of propriety of West Jersey, and in 1685,§ in which year he was returned as one of the members of the Assembly, he represented Messrs. Benj. Bartlett, Robert Squib, and Robert Squib, Jr., as their proxy in voting for members of the Council of Proprietors, and their agent in disposing of their land in the province.

Mr. Mathews settled first in Burlington, and in 1683 made a proposition to the Legislature to exchange 1000 acres for a site to build a saw-mill at the forks of Rancocas Creek.‖ The matter was referred to the commissioners, but it is probable that it was never satisfactorily arranged, as in 1686 a survey was made for his father, Richard Mathews, of 450 acres on a branch of Woodbury Creek, called Mathews Run.¶ He named this estate

* *Revell's Book*, p. 38.

† Liber G, III, Gloucester County Deeds, p. 91; Liber G, I, West Jersey Deeds, p. 102.

‡ Smith's *History of New Jersey.*

§ Liber G, I, West Jersey Deeds, p. 139.

‖ Clement's *History of Newton Township*, pp. 336-9.

¶ *Besse's Book*, p. 123.

"Groverline," or "Groverly," and removed there, with his son-in-law, dying some time prior to March 2, 1695, when Thomas Gardiner (who had married his only daughter and heiress) disposed of part of the property, and was styled "Heire at Law and Administrator."*

Thomas Mathews married, first, 12th mo. (February) 16, 1663, Hannah Day,† of Wendon, in Essex, by whom he had issue one child, Hannah, born 8th mo. (October) 28, 1664, who married Thomas Gardiner, Esq. See that family, *Chapter X, p.* 43. He married, secondly, 1st mo. (March) 13, 1672–73, Martha Watson, widow, of Bartholomew's Close, City of London, by whom he had no issue.‡

* Liber S, West Jersey Deeds, p. 37.

† One of this family, John Day, merchant, immigrated to Philadelphia in 1682, bringing a certificate from the Ashwell Monthly Meeting. He died in 1695–96, leaving a widow and three daughters,—Hannah, Grace, and Sarah,—all under age, and bequeathed £13 to Hannah, daughter of his cousin, Hannah Gardiner, and "for the use of friends thirttie-two foot in front of a Lott in the high-street between the third and fourth street from Delaware, three Hundred and Six foot Long, to build a meeting-house or a Schoole, or as the Quarterly meeting order it that I belong unto."—*Indexed Abstracts of Philadelphia Wills, by W. F. Cregar.*

‡ See *Appendix XXII*, and Registers of the Society of Friends, Somerset House, London, Book 833, pp. 9, 38, 93.

CHAPTER XII.

ELTON FAMILY.

The Eltons were established in the County of Wilts, England, as early as the sixteenth century, as appears by the wills of various members of the family who were then living in different parts of the country. They were yeomen, and consequently freeholders, occupying a position second only to that of the landed gentry.*

I. Anthony Elton, 1st, of Sowley (now Soley), in the Parish of Chilton Folliatt, County Wilts, yeoman, was the brother of Thomas, of the same place, yeoman, who died without issue in March, 1619, bequeathing three-fourths of his estate to his wife, and the remainder to his brother Anthony, whom he appointed executor.

Anthony Elton, 1st, had issue, among others, a daughter, the wife of ——— Shaddow, and a son, Robert, *of whom hereafter.*†

II. Robert Elton, of Sowley, in the Parish of Chilton Folliatt, County Wilts, yeoman, (son of Anthony, 1st,) resided in a house on the heath, which by his will, dated January (11th mo., O. S.) 13, 1663, he bequeathed to his wife Margery, together with the orchard and six acres of land. With the exception of small legacies to his daughters and grandchildren, the remainder of his property devolved on his son Anthony, who was also his executor. See *Appendix XXIII.*

Mr. Elton died some time about the end of the year 1668, as the inventory of the personal property, which was valued at £60 10s. 0d., was dated January, 1668, though his will was not probated until April (2d mo., O. S.) 20, 1669.‡

Robert Elton married, first, Jane ———, who was buried

* Archdeaconry of Wilts, Wills Nos. 15 and 29, Somerset House, London.

† Consistory Sarum, Wills, 1619, Somerset House, London.

‡ *Appendix XXIII.*

April (2d mo., O. S.) 20, 1663; and, secondly, in the same year, Margery ———, who, February 7, 1669, married Thomas Morgan, of Chilton Folliatt.*

Issue of *Robert Elton* and *Jane* ———, his first wife: †

i. Anthony, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. Robert, bur. August 14, 1648.
iii Dorothy, m. ——— Chilcester.
iv. Mary, m. ——— Maunday.

III. Anthony Elton, 2d, of the Parish of Yatesbury, County Wilts, yeoman, (son of Robert and Jane,) was church warden of that parish for seven years, serving first in 1660, and last in 1678. In June, 1677, he, together with John Pope, whose interest he afterwards acquired, purchased of Thomas Hooton, of London, one full equal and undivided eighth part of one full equal and undivided nineteenth part of ninety-hundredths parts of the Province of West New Jersey.‡ During the next year he bought a like share of propriety from Messrs. Thomas and Henry Gerrish. The conveyance was dated March 11, 1678, on which date, while residing at Yatesbury, he divided the above two-eighths into four equal shares, conveying two parts of the land thus divided to Thomas Gardiner, of Warminster, and Thomas Gerrish, of Bromham, County Wilts; the consideration in this case being £20 10s. 6d., and the annual rent of "one "peper corne, payable on ye feast day of the Annunciation of "our Blessed Lady Saint Mary ye Virgin."§

Mr. Elton having retained sufficient right to constitute himself one of the Proprietors of West Jersey, accompanied by his wife and children, immigrated to that province about the close of the year 1678, taking up land in Northampton Township, on the banks of the river of that name, but which is now called Rancocas Creek,‖ and died some time prior to April 2, 1687, when "Anthony Elton, son and heir of Anthony Elton, late of Northampton River, in the County of Burlington and Province of West New Jersey," conveyed 1018 acres of land in that

* Registers of the Parish of Yatesbury, County Wilts, England.
† *Appendix XXIII;* Registers of the Parish of Yatesbury, County Wilts.
‡ Original deed at the Surveyor-General's office, Burlington.
§ Liber B B B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 74
‖ *Besse's Book.*

county to his mother, Susanna, widow of the said Anthony Elton.*

Anthony Elton, 2d, married, in England, Susanna ———, who was living in Burlington County, March 26, 1695, when she proved the will of her son Thomas, who died without issue, bequeathing all his property to her.†

Issue of *Anthony Elton, 2d*, and *Susanna* ———, his wife: ‡

i. ANTHONY, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. THOMAS, d. without issue in 1695
iii. MARY, m., December, 1685, Thomas Kindall, of Burlington, but d. prior to 1690, when her husband remarried.
iv. GEORGE, bapt. at Yatesbury, January 26, 1669; witnessed his sister's marriage in 1685, and his elder brother's in 1688.
v. WILLIAM, d prior to 1720, bequeathing a legacy to his nephew, Anthony Elton, 4th.
vi. CHARLES, bapt at Yatesbury, April 10, 1674.
vii. FRANCIS, bapt. at Yatesbury, July 9, 1674.
viii. [A DAUGHTER], m. Joshua Newbold, of Burlington.

IV. ANTHONY ELTON, 3d, of Northampton Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (eldest son and heir of Anthony, 2d, and Susanna.) succeeded his father as one of the Proprietors of the Province of West New Jersey.§ He did not, however, avail himself of the opportunity which his position gave him of taking an active part in the politics of the time, but devoted himself exclusively to the cultivation of his estate, which was quite extensive. Though residing in a community composed principally of members of the Society of Friends, he, like his father and most of his descendants, remained faithful to the Church of England.

Mr. Elton died in 1704, his will being dated November 11, 1702, and proved April 16, 1704. He gave his wife Elizabeth the use of his dwelling-house and plantation during the minority of his eldest son, Revell, to whom he also bequeathed the plantation which had belonged to his father and his proprietary rights in the province.

* Liber B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 166.

† Unindexed files of Burlington County Wills.

‡ Registers of the Parish of Yatesbury, County Wilts, England; Burlington Court Records; Will of Anthony Elton, 3d (see *Appendix XXIV*, and Liber II, West Jersey Wills, p. 184).

§ Liber B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 166.

He made his wife sole executrix and residuary lagatee, having left his sons, Robert and Anthony, a property of which they were to have possession on her decease, and certain sums of money to his children, Elizabeth, Hannah, Mary, and William. See *Appendix XXIV.*

Anthony Elton, 3d, married, February 20, 1688, Elizabeth, daughter of John and Alice Revell, and sister to Thomas Revell, Esq.* See that family, *Chapter XIII.* She died some time prior to April 20, 1707, when letters of administration on her estate were granted to her brother.†

Issue of *Anthony Elton*, 3*d*, and *Elizabeth Revell*, his wife:‡

i. Revell, b. December 6, 1689; succeeded his father as one of the Proprietors of West Jersey; took an active part in the government, being for many years one of the Governor's Council, and died at an advanced age, leaving issue among others a son, Revell.
ii. Anthony, b. December 14, 1691; d. February 20, 1697.
iii. Robert, b. January 4, 1693.
iv. Elizabeth.
v. Hannah, b. February 11, 1697.
vi. Anthony, *of whom hereafter.*
vii. Mary.
viii. William.

V. Anthony Elton, 4th, of Burlington, N. J., (son of Anthony, 3d, and Elizabeth,) was born at his father's house in Northampton Township, in 1699.§ It is probable that the property which he inherited from his father was situated at Burlington, as he resided in that town, and died July 13, 1774, being buried in St. Mary's Churchyard.‖

Anthony Elton, 4th, married, first, about 1723–24, Bathsheba, daughter of John and Susanna Tonkin. See that family, *Chapter XV.* She died March 23, 1731, when he married, secondly, Elizabeth ———, who died July 14, 1773, æt. 80 years.¶

Issue of *Anthony Elton*, 4*th*, and *Bathsheba Tonkin*, his first wife:**

i. John, b. November 11, 1725; d. 1775.

* Burlington Court Records.

† Liber I, West Jersey Wills, p. 195.

‡ Burlington Court Records.

§ Will of Anthony Elton, 3d (See *Appendix XXIV*), and the MS. "Genealogy of the Elton Family," by Anthony Elton, who was born in 1789.

‖ Records of St. Mary's Church, Burlington.

¶ MS. "Genealogy of the Elton Family."

** Ibid.

ii. WILLIAM, b. November 26, 1726, and d. August 19, 1777, leaving issue, among others, John Elton, Esq., High Sheriff of Burlington County, and father of the late Anthony Elton, Esq., whose MS. is occasionally referred to in this chapter, and a daughter, Mary, who m., first, Robert Thomas, and, secondly, William Ridgway, by whom she had a daughter, Hannah, who m. the late Thomas Dutton. They had issue, among others, Rowland J. Dutton, Esq., of Burlington, N. J.

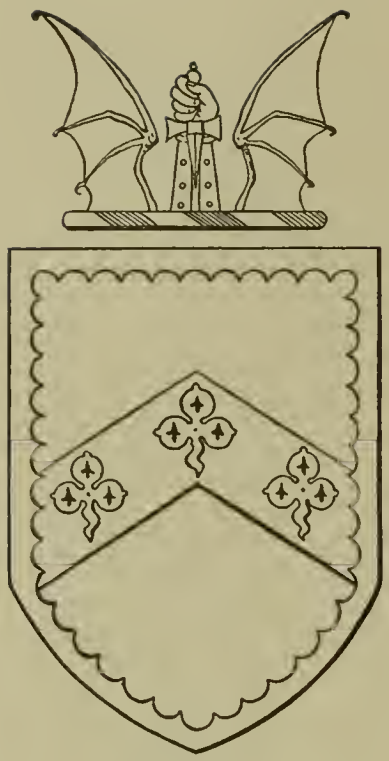
iii. SUSANNA, b. June 21, 1728; m. Thomas Gardiner, of Burlington. See that family, *Chapter X*, *p.* 46.

iv. ANTHONY, b. May 30, 1730; d. April 30, 1760.

Issue of *Anthony Elton*, *4th*, and *Elizabeth* ———, his second wife: *

i ROBERT, b. January 8, 1737; bapt. July 9, 1737. He had issue a son, Anthony.

* MS. "Genealogy of the Elton Family."



REVELL.

CHAPTER XIII.

REVELL FAMILY.

The ancient family of Revel, or Revell, of Newbold Revel, in Warwickshire, had a branch settled at Ogston, in Derbyshire, from which the Revells of Whiston and Brompton, in Yorkshire, are supposed to be descended. Their arms were: "Argent, on a chevron gules, three trefoils ermine, all within a bordure engrailed sable; crest, a cubit arm in armour, garnished or, couped at the elbow; holding in the hand a dagger, point downwards, ppr., between two bats' wings of the second, membraned of the first."* A Thomas Revell resided at Whiston in the year 1590, when he married Elizabeth Crawshaw, by whom he had issue Elizabeth, Mary, Sarah, and William.† This gentleman is the first of the name mentioned in the parish registers, and was probably the uncle of John Revell, *of whom hereafter.*

I. John Revell, 1st, of Whiston, County York, gentleman, (so styled in his son's will,) was buried March 4, 1667. He married Elizabeth ———, who was buried April 12, 1657.‡

Issue of *John Revell*, 1*st*, and *Elizabeth* ———, his wife: §

i. John, *of whom hereafter.*

ii. Nathaniel, of Brampton, gent.; m., at Braithwell, October, 1652, Alice, dau. of Nathaniel Eyre, of Bromley, gent., by whom he had issue.

iii. Rebecca, m. ——— Hunt, of Dalton, gent.

II. John Revell, 2d, of Whiston, County York, gentleman, (son of John, 1st, and Elizabeth,) married Alice, daughter of Robert Stacye, Esquire, Lord of the Manor of Owlerton, in the

* Dugdale's *Warwickshire; Deanery of Doncaster*, by Rev. Joseph Hunter, F. S. A., London, 1831; and Visitations of Derbyshire, at the British Museum.

† Registers of the Parish of Whiston, County York.

‡ Ibid.

§ Hunter's *Deanery of Doncaster*, Vol. II, p. 180.

Parish of Sheffield, County York.* See that family, *Chapter XIV.* Mr. Revell was buried April 15, 1662,† his will, which was probated at York, being dated April 9, 1662.

Issue of *John Revell*, 2*d*, and *Alice Stacye*, his wife:

i. ELIZABETH, b. at Whiston, August 1, 1658, and bapt. August 24;‡ came with her brother to Burlington, in the Province of West New Jersey, where she m. Anthony Elton, 3d. See that family, *Chapter XII, p. 53.*

ii. THOMAS, of Burlington,‰ and afterwards of Northampton Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, (son of John and Alice,) was born at Whiston, County York, April 20, 1660, and bapt. May 6. He m. in 1677–78, and with his wife and sister accompanied his cousin, Mahlon Stacy, to America, embarking at Hull, in Yorkshire, on the ship "Shield," which arrived opposite Burlington, on the Delaware, in December (10th mo.), 1678, that being the first vessel that came so far up the river. "She moor'd to a tree, and the next morning the people came "ashore on the ice, so hard had the river suddenly frozen." Under date of 4th mo. (June) 26, 1680, Mahlon Stacy wrote to his brother Revell, describing the herring fisheries at Burlington, when he mentioned their cousin Revell.‖

Mr. Revell first settled at Burlington, where he built himself a house, appearing as a freeholder and clerk of that town in 1680, recorder in 1696, one of the collectors of the province and county tax in 1700, and councilman and treasurer in 1701.¶ In June, 1695, he purchased a dwelling-house and plantation on Rancocas Creek, near the residence of his brother-in-law, Anthony Elton, 3d, and not long afterwards conveyed his town house to his married daughter.** In 1682 he was commissioned provincial clerk and recorder, holding that position, which was his first provincial office, until 1691, when Dr. Daniel Coxe conveyed the government of the province to the West Jersey Society, by whom he was recommissioned, April 18, 1692, with the title of "Secretary, Registrar, and Keeper of the Rolls of the Province of West New Jersey."†† While the incumbent of this office he kept a book of records which is known by his name and is the repository of much valuable information.‡‡

* Hunter's *Deanery of Doncaster*, Vol. II, p. 180; Hunter's *Hallamshire*, 2d edition, pp 315, 448

† Registers of the Parish of Whiston, County York.

‡ Ibid.

‰ In documents always styled either "Gent." or "Esquire."

‖ Smith's *History of New Jersey*, pp. 92, 108, 110.

¶ Burlington Court Records and Town Book.

** Liber B, West Jersey Deeds, pp. 292, 424.

†† Liber B, West Jersey Deeds, p. 288.

‡‡ *Revell's Book* can be found at the Secretary of State's office, Trenton N. J.

Mr. Revell was a member of the Church of England, and though connected with the Staeyes, who were all Friends, does not appear to have been in sympathy with the members of that religious body, as in 1691 he, in connection with John Tatham and Nathaniel Westland, published an anonymous pamphlet aimed against Samuel Jennings, an eminent member of the Society of Friends. In 1703, on the arrival of the new Governor, Viscount Cornbury, he became an active partisan of that gentleman, serving as a member of his council, though not a proprietor of the province, until June, 1708, when he was unseated on a petition addressed to the Lords of Trade, who recommended his removal to the Queen. September 14, 1703, Colonel Daniel Coxe, of Philadelphia, signed a power of attorney in favor of Thomas Revell, and in the petition previously referred to it is alleged that he conspired with Colonel Coxe to deprive them, the petitioners, of their purchase from his father, and that he was one of the persons made use of by Lord Cornbury to prevent these members of the Assembly from occupying their seats in that body.* He was during Lord Cornbury's administration twice appointed judge of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, and June 7, 1708, commissioned one of the justices of the Supreme Court, having also been for several years a justice of the peace for the County of Burlington.† He was thoroughly acquainted with public business, but his connection with Lord Cornbury's government rendered him unpopular, and prevented him from obtaining any public employment after that Governor's removal.

Thomas Revell m., in 1677–78, Mary ———, who is last mentioned April 12, 1694, when she was one of the witnesses of the marriage of their dau. Ann to Joseph White, of Burlington, who d. November 7, 1754, æt 85 years, and was buried in St. Mary's Churchyard ‡

* New Jersey Archives, Vol. II, pp. 2, 64, 155, 290, 301, 309.

† Liber A A A of Commissions, pp. 19, 54, 85; justice of the peace for the years 1703, 1708, 1709.

‡ Burlington Court Records, and MS. Book of Inscriptions in St. Mary's Churchyard, Burlington.

CHAPTER XIV.

STACYE FAMILY.

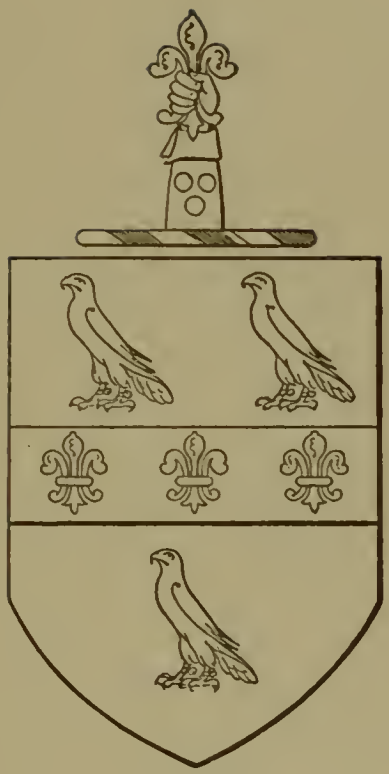
The family of Stacy, or Stacye, is said to have been settled in the vicinity of Sheffield, in Yorkshire, at a very early date, their arms being: Azure, on a fess between three falcons close, or; as many fleurs-de-lis of the first: crest, a dexter arm couped at the elbow, habited azure, cuff argent, charged with three bezants, and holding in the hand, ppr., a fleur-de-lis, or. The first of the family of whom the compiler has found any authentic information was a Stacye of Sheffield, who had issue three sons: John, of Ballifield, in the Parish of Hansworth and County of York, gent., ancestor of Mahlon Stacy, of Burlington County, N. J., who was buried May 11, 1594, his will being dated April 3, 1593; Richard, mentioned in his brother's will, and Mahlon Stacye, *of whom hereafter.*

I. Mahlon Stacye, Esquire, Lord of the Manor of Owlerton, in the Parish of Sheffield and County of York, was buried in the parish church April 14, 1590, as directed by his will, which was dated November 26, 1589.

He married Philippa ———, (who married, secondly, November 18, 1596, Thomas Robinson,) by whom he had issue a son and heir, Robert Stacye, *of whom hereafter.*

II. Robert Stacye, Esquire, (son and heir of Mahlon and Philippa,) succeeded his father as Lord of the Manor of Owlerton, and was living in 1666, when he held a court-baron at Owlerton. He had issue, among others, a daughter, Alice, who married John Revell, 2d, of Whiston, gent.* See that family, *Chapter XIII. p.* 55.

* This account of the Stacye family is compiled from the Registers of the parishes of Sheffield and Hansworth, the wills on file at York, and the works of the late Rev. Joseph Hunter, F. S. A.,—*Deanery of Doncaster*, Vol. II, p. 180; *History of Hallamshire*, 2d edition, pp. 315, 488.



STACYE.

CHAPTER XV.

TONKIN FAMILY.

I. Edward Tonkin, of Springfield Township, Burlington County, West New Jersey, was one of the early settlers of that locality, and probably came either from Cornwall or Devonshire, as the name is common in those counties. The public records of Burlington County contain only one mention of his name, and he does not appear to have been a member of the Society of Friends.

He died a short time prior to March 14, 1690–91, O. S., when John Tonkin gave bonds to faithfully administer the estate of his "late father, Edward Tonkin, of Springfield, deceased."*

Issue of *Edward Tonkin* and ——— ———, his wife:

i. John, *of whom hereafter.*

ii. Elizabeth, m., in 1687, William Bustill, constable of the town of Burlington in 1699,† by whom she was probably the mother of Samuel Bustill, Esquire, deputy registrar of the Province of West New Jersey, who m. Grace, dau. of Thomas Gardiner, Esquire, first Speaker of the General Assembly of New Jersey. See Gardiner family, p. 40.

iii. Joshua, constable of the town of Burlington in 1716.‡

II. John Tonkin, of Springfield Township, Burlington County, N. J., yeoman, (eldest son of Edward,) was born about 1665, and baptized, together with his wife and four children, at St. Ann's (now St. Mary's) Church, Burlington, February 1, 1703–4.§ He died in August, 1735, his will being dated July 4, 1734, and proved August 20, 1735. He left small legacies to his children, Edward and Elizabeth, bequeathing a life interest in the rest of his property to his wife, after whose decease it was to be equally divided between his sons John, Charles, Joshua, and Jacob. See *Appendix XXVI.*

* See *Appendix XXV.*

† Burlington Court Records and Burlington Town Book.

‡ Burlington Town Book.

§ Records of St. Mary's Church, Burlington.

John Tonkin married, about 1690, Susanna ———, who died some time prior to August 23, 1745, when letters of administration on her estate were granted to her son, John Tonkin, Esquire.*

Issue of *John Tonkin* and *Susanna* ———, his wife:†

i. MARY, b. 1692; bapt. at St. Mary's Church, Burlington, February 1, 1703–4; m., 1713–14, Abraham Hewlings, Jr.,‡ who d. October 23, 1731, æt. 43,§ when letters of administration were granted to his widow, who d. shortly afterwards, as her estate, together with her husband's, was administered March 10, 1732, by her brother, Charles Tonkin, and her brother-in-law, Joseph Hewlings. They had issue Abraham, Isaac, Esther, *of whom hereafter;* Susanna, Bathsheba, Martha, and Mary. Esther, dau. of Abraham and Mary (Tonkin) Hewlings, was b. about 1718; bapt. March 29, 1719; m., first, in September, 1738, John Newman, of Philadelphia, who d. without issue, and, secondly, May 7, 1747, Colonel Thomas White, of the same place, by whom she had issue the Right Rev. William White, first (Episcopal) Bishop of Pennsylvania, and Mary White, wife of the Hon. Robert Morris, of Philadelphia. ‖

ii. JOHN, bapt. February 1, 1703–4.

iii. CHARLES, bapt. February 1, 1703–4.

iv. BATHSHEBA, bapt. February 1, 1703–4, and m. Anthony Elton, 4th. See that family, *Chapter XII, p.* 53.

v. ELIZABETH.

vi. EDWARD, b. 1706; d. April 5, 1768, possessed of a large fortune. His gravestone is still standing in St. Mary's Churchyard.

vii. JOSHUA.

viii. JACOB.

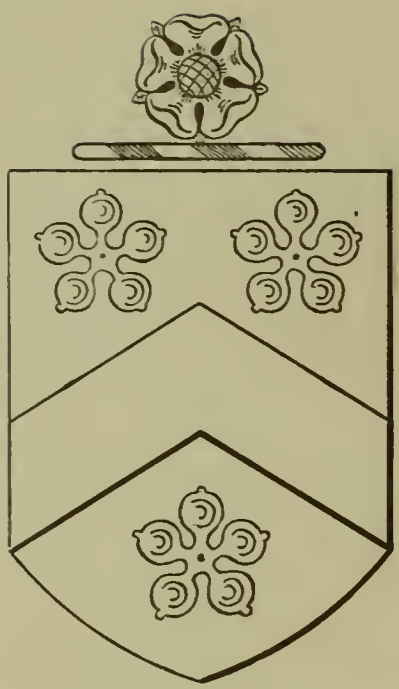
* Liber V, West Jersey Wills, p. 158.

† John Tonkin's will, *Appendix XXVI*, and Records of St. Mary's Church.

‡ MS. "Genealogy of the Elton Family," compiled by Anthony Elton, who was born in 1789, in which the author states that he knew the Tonkin family, and that Bathsheba Tonkin, who married his ancestor, was sister to Edward Tonkin and to Bishop White's grandmother.

§ Abraham Hewlings, Jr., was the son of Abraham Hewlings, Sr., b. 11th mo., 1, 1660, and nephew of William Hewlings, b. 4th mo., 24, 1657, both of whom settled in Burlington County, N. J., in 1678. They were the sons of Walter and Judith Hewlings, of Cirencester, in the County of Gloucester. The latter was buried 6th mo., 6, 1661. Walter Hewlings m., secondly, Rosamond ———, by whom he had issue: Isaac, b. 1666; Jacob, b. and d. 1668; and Mary, b. 1670. Walter Hewlings was bur. 6th mo., 26, 1677.—COMPILER.

‖ Liber III, West Jersey Wills, p. 248; Liber V, West Jersey Wills, p. 26; Will of Joseph Hewlings; New Jersey Marriage Licenses, September 12, 1738; *History of the Descendants of Colonel Thomas White, p.* 30.



McLORINAN.

CHAPTER XVI.

McLORINAN FAMILY.

MEMBERS of the family of McLorinan (pronounced McClarinan, and now spelt McClaranan) are found among the landed proprietors of County Antrim during the latter part of the sixteenth century. They were Protestants, like many of the gentry of that part of Ireland. Their arms, as appears by the seals attached to the original wills of several members of the family, and which are still preserved at the Public Record Office, Dublin, were: Sable, a chevron, or; between three cinquefoils, argent. Crest, a heraldic rose, gules.* They were not, however, recorded at the Ulster office, and the imperfect condition of the seals makes it impossible to discover any indication of the blazonry.†

Owing to the fragmentary state of the Irish records, the first one of the family of whom any mention could be found was the Rev. Hugh McLorinan, of Loch na Larke, in the County of Antrim, clerk in holy orders, who in his will, proved November 17, 1622, bequeathed all his property to his wife, with reversion to his cousin, Hugh McLorinan, of Ballywasna, in the same county, student,‡ who was in all probability the father of Patrick Moder McLorinan, *of whom hereafter.*

I. PATRICK MODER MCLORINAN, gent., married Margaret Morris, (sister of James and aunt of Rev. John Morris,) who married, secondly, ——— McDorman, of County Tyrone, gent. In her will, dated December 15, 1696, and proved August, 1697, she bequeathed the town land of Ballywasna, in the Parish of Doormale, Barony of Toome, and County of Antrim,

* Will of Matthew McLorinan, 1719; Will of Matthew McLorinan, of Killcross, 1744; Will of Thomas McLorinan, 1769.

† Ibid.

‡ Diocese of Connor, District Registry, Belfast; Public Record Office, Dublin.

to her sons, Matthew and Paul McLorinan, and legacies to her daughters.*

Issue of *Patrick Moder McLorinan* and *Margaret Morris*, his wife:†

i. MATTHEW, founder of the branch settled at Killcross, in the Parish of Kilcad, County Antrim.
ii. PAUL, *of whom hereafter.*
iii. MARY, m. ——— McCoyle.
iv. CATHARINE, m. ——— O'Neill.

II. PAUL MCLORINAN, of Cranfield, in the Parish of Duncan, Barony of Toome and County of Antrim, gent., (son of Patrick Moder and Margaret,) married Bridget O'Sheill, who survived him and was living in 1717.‡

Issue of *Paul McLorinan* and *Bridget O'Sheill*, his wife:

i. DAVID, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. HUGH, of Cranfield, d. in 1727, and in his will, proved in September of that year, mentions his sons Patrick and Matthew, and directs that he be buried in Cranfield Churchyard among his ancestors.⁋

III. DAVID MCLORINAN, of Cranfield, gent., (son of Paul and Bridget,) was possessed of considerable property at that place, part of which he disposed of in 1717.‖ Though his family inherited the Ballywasna estate, it would seem, from the reference in his brother's will to the graves of their ancestors in Cranfield Churchyard, that Cranfield was the ancient home of the family. The parish registers would no doubt throw much light on the family history, but unfortunately they could not be found. David McLorinan, of Cranfield, had issue among others a son, David, *of whom hereafter.*

IV. DAVID MCLORINAN, of Ballyluman, Parish of Ahoghele, Barony of Upper Toome, gent., (son of David of Cranfield,) succeeded two ladies of the family in the possession of the property at that place,¶ part of which he afterward sold to his cousins,

* District Registry, Diocese of Connor, Public Record Office, Dublin.

† Ibid.

‡ Deed 53—382—35,987, Registry of Deeds, Dublin.

⁋ District Registry, Diocese of Connor, Public Record Office, Dublin.

‖ Deed 53—382—35,987, Registry Office, Dublin.

¶ This information is taken from a letter dated in 1847, and addressed to the family in America, by James McLorinan, Esq., of Ballynofrey, brother of Paul McLorinan, of Woodbury, in the possession of Dr. James W. White, of Philadelphia.

the McLorinans of Killcross.* David McLorinan died without issue in 1767, his will being dated in that year, and proved September 22. After making provision for his cousin, Mary O'Neill, he bequeathed the rest of his property to the children of his sister-in-law, Mary McLorinan, viz: Paul; James, *of whom hereafter;* Mary, and Catharine McLorinan, all of whom were under age.†

V. James McLorinan, of Broekish, County Antrim, gent., (nephew of David of Ballyluman, and grandson of David of Cranfield,) succeeded to all the Ballyluman property in 1783, on the death, without issue, of his elder brother Paul, who was shot dead at his own hall-door by the Steelmen. The estate was situate in the Parish of Ahoghele, Barony of Upper Toome and County of Antrim, and consisted of about 350 acres, Irish plantation measure, subject to the chief rent of 2s. 6d. sterling, payable to the King forever, or a pair of gloves if required, and paid an annual rental of about £600; but it did not remain long in Mr. McLorinan's possession, as in 1793 he sold it to his brother-in-law, Mark Devlin.

James McLorinan married ———, sister of Mark Devlin, Esquire, of Newry, County Down.‡

Issue of *James McLorinan* and ——— *Devlin*, his wife: §

i. Paul, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. James, of Ballynofrey; living in 1847.

VI. Paul McLorinan, of Woodbury, Gloucester County, New Jersey, gent., (eldest son of James,) immigrated to the United States and settled at Woodbury, where he died some time prior to July 11, 1804, when letters of administration on his estate were granted to Josiah Elbridge, Esquire.‖

Paul McLorinan married, at Christ Church, Philadelphia, January 11, 1801, Margaret, daughter of Thomas and Mary Hill, of that city, and widow of Captain ——— Forrester, by whom she had one son, John Forrester, who settled in New

* Deed 87—272—61,587, Registry of Deeds, Dublin.

† District Registry, Diocese of Connor, Public Record Office, Dublin.

‡ Original deed of sale of the Ballyluman estate, in the possession of Dr. James W. White, and the letter of James McLorinan, dated 1847.

§ Ibid.

‖ Gloucester County Administrations, Woodbury, N. J.

York City. She married a third time, June 25, 1806, her kinsman, Archibald Hill, of Philadelphia, by whom she had three children, who died young.*

Mrs. Hill was the first of the family to adopt the phonetic spelling of her second husband's name, which was afterwards followed by their children.

Issue of *Paul McLorinan* and *Mary Hill*, his wife: †

i. JAMES, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. GEORGE.

VII. JAMES MCCLARANAN, of Philadelphia, (eldest son of Paul and Margaret McLorinan, or McClaranan,) was born at Woodbury, N. J., January 1, 1802, and died at Philadelphia, January 19, 1869.

James McClaranan married, at Philadelphia, August 3, 1826, Maria, daughter of Thomas and Jerusha Dows. See that family, *Chapter XVII.* She died at Philadelphia, January 21, 1881.‡

Issue of *James McClaranan* and *Maria Dows*, his wife: ⁋

i. MARY ANN, b. at Philadelphia, September 11, 1827; m. Dr. James William White. See that family, *Chapter I, p.* 9.

* Records of Christ Church, Philadelphia.

† Information obtained from Dr. James W. White, of Philadelphia.

‡ Ibid.

⁋ Ibid.

CHAPTER XVII.

DOWSE FAMILY.

The brothers Francis and Lawrence Dowse were among the early settlers of Boston. Francis resided at that place until his decease, in 1680, leaving issue by his wife, Catharine, who died in 1697, five daughters, one of whom was baptized at the First Church, 5th mo. (July) 17, 1642.* This is the first mention of the name of Dowse that can be found in New England. His brother, Lawrence Dowse, *of whom hereafter*, was mentioned in 1644. From a statement made by Eleazer Dowse, who was born in 1764, and committed to writing by one of his sons, it appears that the brothers Dowse came from the neighborhood of Colchester, or Billerica, in the eastern part of England.

I. Sergeant Lawrence Dowse, of Charlestown, Middlesex County, Mass., (brother of Francis, of Boston,) was born in England about 1613–15; aged 44 in 1659, 71 in 1684, and 77 in 1692;† admitted to church at Boston, 1st mo. (March) 22, 1645, and removed to Charlestown some time prior to 1649. He was admitted to church at that place 1st mo. (March) 21, 1652;‡ appointed constable of the town in 1656, and died March 12, 1692, aged 78 years,§ leaving an estate valued at £313 9s. 6d. The dwelling-house, barn, and land adjoining were valued at £90, and 33 acres of land situated in various parts of the town at £72. See *Appendix XXVII.*

Lawrence Dowse married, first, probably in England, Martha ———, who was buried at Boston 8th mo. (October), 1644,‖ and secondly, at Charlestown, in 1647–48, Margery, daughter of Rob-

* Suffolk County Probate Records, Vol. VII, p. 336, and Vol. VIII, p. 144.

† Wyman's *Charlestown Genealogies and Estates*, Vol. I, p. 301.

‡ Boston and Charlestown Church Records.

§ Gravestone, and Charlestown Archives, Vol. III, p. 591.

‖ Boston Records, Vol. I, p. 152, Registry Office, Boston.

ert and Alice Rand, who died at that place March 12, 1714, aged 90 years.*

Issue of *Lawrence Dowse* and *Martha* ———, his first wife: †

i. SAMUEL, *of whom hereafter.*

ii. JOHN, b. 8th mo. (October), 1644; bapt. at the First Church, Boston, 1st mo. (March) 23, 1645, aged 22 weeks, and d. 6th mo. (August), 1645.

Issue of *Lawrence Dowse* and *Margery Rand*, his second wife: ‡

i. ELIZABETH, b. 1st mo. (March) 15, 1649; m., first, Thomas Larkin, and, secondly, ——— Drew.

ii. JOHN, b. about 1652; m. Relief Holland.

iii. MARY, admitted to church May 16, 1675, and dismissed to Second Church, Boston, June 4, 1691.

iv. JOSEPH, b. about 1654.

v. BENJAMIN, b. July 4, 1656.

vi. NATHANIEL, b. November 24, 1658.

vii. JONATHAN, b. about 1661; m., first, Elizabeth Ballott, and secondly, Katharine Harbert. He was a justice of the peace, and sometimes styled "The Honourable."

viii. SARAH, b. July 26, 1663.

ix. ELEAZER, b. January 25, 1688–89; m. Mary Edmunds; was styled "Captain."

One of the great grandsons of Lawrence and Margery was the late Thomas Dowse, Esq., who presented the valuable "Dowse Library" to the Massachusetts Historical Society.

II. DEACON SAMUEL DOWSE, of Charlestown, Middlesex County, Mass., (eldest son of Lawrence and Martha,) was born October, 1642; baptized at the First Church, Boston, 1st mo. (March) 23, 1645, aged 2 years and 14 weeks: admitted to church at Charlestown February 9, 1672-73: appointed deacon and sealer of weights in 1712, and sometimes styled "Gentlemen."§ He possessed an extensive property at Charlestown, the greater part of which he bequeathed to his eldest surviving son, Maximilian, leaving smaller portions to his younger children. His son Ebenezer received a legacy of £10. He died in the early part of the year 1735, his will being dated January 4, 1733-34, and presented for probate July 12, 1735, but was disallowed on the 18th of that month. See *Appendix XXVIII.*

* Wyman, Vol. I, p. 301, and Vol. II, *Rand Family.*

† Church and County Records; Boston Records, Vol. I, p. 152; and Wyman, Vol. I, p. 301.

‡ Ibid.

§ Boston and Charlestown Church Records.

Samuel Dowse married, first, at Charlestown, August 8, 1670, Hannah, daughter of Aaron and Anna Ludkin. She was admitted to church at Charlestown, June 15, 1673, and died May 26, 1676,* when he married, secondly, at "Newberrie," March 7, 1677, Faith, daughter of Maximilian and Ann Jewett. See that family, *Chapter XVIII.* She was admitted to church at Charlestown, September 23, 1677, and died February 22, 1736-37.†

Issue of *Samuel Dowse* and *Hannah Ludkin*, his first wife:‡

i. SAMUEL, b. May 11, bapt. May 14, and d. May 21, 1676.

Issue of *Samuel Dowse* and *Faith Jewett*, his second wife:§

i. ANNA, b. December 19, 1677; bapt. at the Old South Church, March 3, 1677-78.
ii. SAMUEL, b. November 19, 1679; bapt. May 10, 1680.
iii. JOHN, b. November 10, 1681, and d. without issue, January 20, 1702-3.
iv. MARTHA, b. and bapt. November 18, 1683.
v. MARY, b. April 17, 1686; m. Thomas Harris.
vi. MAXIMILIAN, b. October 12, 1688; m. Sarah Fosdick.
vii. SARAH, b. March 19, 1690-91; m. William Benson.
viii. EBENEZER, *of whom hereafter.*

III. EBENEZER DOWSE, of Billerica, Middlesex County, Mass., yeoman, (son of Samuel and Faith,) was born at Charlestown, September 4, 1693.‖ According to the tradition which has been handed down in the family from generation to generation, he came to Billerica in 1708, and, as he was then in his 15th year, it is probable that he served his apprenticeship at that place, he being originally a carpenter. He owned a house situated in a two-acre lot in the center of the town, and about 14 acres of orchard, pasture, and mowing land on Rocky Hill, which he disposed of December 28, 1725, the consideration being £170,¶ and shortly afterwards purchased his homestead and plantation, which was situated within the bounds of Billerica, on the west

* Charlestown Archives, Vol. III, pp. 336, 539, and Charlestown Church Records.

† Max. Jewett's Will, *Appendix XXIX;* Charlestown Church Records, and Charlestown Archives, Vol. III, p. 374.

‡ Wyman, Vol. I, p. 301; Charlestown Church Records, and Charlestown Archives, Vol. III, pp. 50, 54, 59, 66, 72, 81, 87, 95.

§ Ibid.

‖ Charlestown Archives, Vol. III, p. 95.

¶ Middlesex County Deeds, Liber XXVIII, p. 144; Liber XLIII, p. 457.

side of the Concord River, and contained about 123 acres. May 27, 1763, he, with the consent of his wife Mary and in consideration of £350, conveyed one-half of his plantation to his son, Benjamin Dowse, Sr.,* and, October 19, 1778, conveyed the remaining half with the dwelling-house to his grandson, Benjamin Dowse, Jr. The consideration in this case was £300, but he reserved the east end of the house for himself and wife, and after their decease for the use of their daughter Susanna during her unmarried life.†

Ebenezer Dowse died in 1781, aged 88 years, having married, in 1714, Mary, daughter of Samuel and Mary Hunt.‡ See that family, *Chapter XIV.*

Issue of *Ebenezer Dowse* and *Mary Hunt*, his wife:ȝ

i. Benjamin, b. February 6, 1715-16.
ii. John, b. at Chelmsford, October 10, 1717.
iii. Ebenezer, b. December 29, 1719.
iv. Martha, b. July 25, 1722.
v. Mary, b. November 26, 1725.
vi. Anna, b. March 30, 1727.
vii. Susanna, b. September 15, 1729.
viii. Samuel, b. January 12, 1730-31.
ix. Eleazer, *of whom hereafter.*

IV. Eleazer Dowse, of Billerica, Middlesex County, Mass., yeoman, (son of Ebenezer and Mary,) was born at Billerica, December 26, 1734 ‖ His homestead and plantation was on the west side of the Concord River, near his father's property, and contained about 68 acres. The plantation was twice mortgaged, but each time the incumbrance was paid off, the last occasion being May 5, 1792.¶ When a young man he served in the French and Indian war, and was wounded in the forehead by the bursting of a bomb at the storming of Fort Ticonderoga, in August, 1758.** After his return from the war he married, about the year 1762, Lucy Proctor, of Billerica.

* Middlesex County Deeds, Liber LXXIX, p. 98.

† Ibid., p. 508.

‡ Ibid., Liber XXII, p. 290.

ȝ Billerica Church and Town Records.

‖ Billerica Records.

¶ Middlesex County Deeds, Liber LXXV, p. 181; Liber XCII, p. 31; and Liber XCV, p. 45.

** Hazen's *History of Billerica.*

Issue of *Eleazer Dowse* and *Lucy Proctor*, his wife:*

i. ELEAZER, b. July 6, 1764, and enlisted at the age of 15 years and 9 months, serving for three months under General Sullivan, when he was stationed near Newport, Rhode Island. He m. Linda, dau. of Captain John Wright, of New Haven, Conn, and afterwards of Charlton, N. Y., an officer of the Revolutionary army. They had issue:

1. Luke, b. January 4, 1794; d. January 24, 1867; m., first, March 17, 1817, Ann Lovett; m., second, July 26, 183-, Almeda Clarke; m., third, December 28, 1860, Parthenia Conda.
2. Ann, b. August 5, 1795; d. October 13, 1822; m., April, 1814, Rev. David Huntington.
3. John, b. November 1, 1797; d. February 21, 1844; m., first, September 17, 1827, Sarah Ann Smith; m., second, March 12, 1829, Adriana M. Cook.
4. Harry, b. December 15, 1799; d. July 3, 1875; m., January 31, 1838, Fidelia Sprague.
5. Polly, b. December 3, 1801; d. March 1, 1831; m. John Mairs.
6. Ammi, b. December 8, 1803; d. June 1, 1875; m., first, August 5, 1829, Jane Eliza Wilbur; m., second, March 21, 1871, Susan H. Worth.
7. Betsey, b. November 15, 1805; d. May 10, 1833; m., June 30, 1825, John J. Gilchrist.
8. James, b. October 19, 1807; d. April 13, 1885; m., May 4, 1829, Elmina Hersey, of Cazenovia, New York.
9. Jane, b. March 26, 1810; d. May 22, 1846.
10. Sophia, b. February 21, 1812; d. May 16, 1866; m., August 1, 1832, Adrian Kissam.
11. David, of Charlton Hall, Irvington-on-Hudson, and New York City, b. November 16, 1814; m., February 5, 1852, Margaret E. Worcester.
12. Juliet, b. February 4, 1817; d. December 7, 1821.

ii. JESSE, b. May 22, 1767.

iii. LUCY, b. June 25, 1769; m. ——— Holmes.

iv. THOMAS, *of whom hereafter.*

V. THOMAS DOWS, of Charlton, Saratoga County, N. Y., yeoman, (son of Eleazer and Lucy,) was born at Billerica, Mass., October 5, 1771,† and in 1788 accompanied his brothers and sister to the State of New York, settling, with his elder brother, Eleazer, at Charlton,‡ their names afterwards appearing among the original

* Billerica Church and Town Records.

† Ibid.

‡ Information obtained from James Dows, Esq., of Cazenovia, N. Y.

members of St. Paul's P. E. Church, which was established in 1803. His brother Jesse and sister Lucy settled at Glenville, in Schenectady County.

Mr. Dows bought a farm at Charlton, on which he resided until 1834, when he disposed of it, and in 1839, with his wife and two daughters, removed to York Centre, Union County, Ohio, where he arrived in June of that year, after a three weeks' journey. Shortly after his arrival he purchased a farm of 67 acres, but did not long survive his change of residence, as he died September 17, 1840, and was buried in the McKendrie Burying-ground at York Centre.*

Thomas Dows married, at Charlton, about the year 1802, Jerusha, daughter of Oliver and Sarah Isbell. See that family, *Chapter XXI.* She died at York Centre, in April, 1845.†

Issue of *Thomas Dows* and *Jerusha Isbell*, his wife:‡

i. Sabrina.

ii. Maria, b. at Charlton, September 5, 1805; m. James McClaranan. See that family, *Chapter XVI*, p. 64.

iii. Samantha, b. November 1, 1813; m., at Charlton, in 1832, Henry Toby, of Ballston Spa, N. Y., by whom she had issue.

iv. Joseph, d. without issue.

* The inscription reads as follows: "In memory of THOMAS DOWS, who departed this life Sept. 17th, 1840, aged 70 years, 11 mos., and 12 days."

† The compiler visited Mrs. Tobey, at her home in York Centre, on November 13, 1884, when she gave him full particulars concerning her father's removal to Ohio, the date of his death, and the date of her mother's death. She also stated that her mother was Jerusha, daughter of Oliver Isbell, of Charlton, but she could not supply the date of her parents' marriage, as the family Bible was lost several years ago.

‡ Records in the possession of Dr. James W. White.

CHAPTER XVIII.

JEWETT FAMILY.

In December, 1628, Ezekiel Rodgers, of Rowley, in the County of York, England, arrived in this country with about twenty families, some of whom came from the same place, and in April or May established a settlement in Massachusetts which he called Rowley, after his old home. Among the heads of these families were two brothers, Joseph and Maximilian Jewett. The former became a freeman May 22, 1639, and resided at Rowley for many years, but died at Bradford, February 26, 1660-61, leaving issue.*

I. Deacon Maximilian Jewett, of Rowley, Essex County, Mass., (younger brother of Joseph,) became a freeman of Rowley May 13, 1640, and was for many years a deacon of the church.† He died October 19, 1684, owning considerable property at Rowley, Bradford, and other places. Previous to his decease he had given his daughter, Faith Dowse, 48 acres at Bradford and the sum of £40. In his will, which was made in 1682-84, he bequeathed her a salt marsh near Cambridge and the sum of £10, to be paid by his son Joseph. See *Appendix XXIX.*

Maximilian Jewett married, first, probably in England, a short time before his immigration, Ann ———, who was buried at Rowley, November 9, 1667, and, secondly, at that place, August 30, 1671, Eleanor, widow of ——— Boynton, by whom he had no issue.‡

Issue of *Maximilian Jewett* and *Ann* ———, his first wife:⁂

i. Ezekiel, m. Faith, widow of John Smith, and dau. of Francis Parrott.

* Gage's *History of Rowley*, pp. 30, 120-21, 132.

† Ibid.

‡ Essex County Births, Marriages, and Deaths, Clerk's Office, Salem, Mass.

⁂ Ibid., and Max. Jewett's Will. See *Appendix XXIX.*

ii. Joseph.
iii. Anna.
iv. Mary, m. ——— Hazeltine.
v. Elizabeth, m. ——— Hazeltine.
vi. Faith, b. about 1650; m. Samuel Dowse. See that family, *Chapter XVII, p.* 67.
vii. Sarah, b. March 17, 1657; buried July 19, 1660.
viii. Sarah.
ix. Priscilla, b. May 19, and d. September 6, 1664.

CHAPTER XIX.

HUNT FAMILY.

I. William Hunt, of Concord and Marlborough, Middlesex County, Mass., who was born in England about the year 1605, was one of the first settlers at Concord, though it is not known when he arrived in this country nor from what part of England he came. He was made a freeman of Concord, June 2, 1641; became a large landed proprietor, and at his decease, in October, 1677, bequeathed an extensive estate to his sons. His property at Concord was valued at £596 12s., and that at Marlborough at £36 18s.,* he having removed to the latter place shortly before his death. See *Appendix XXV.*

William Hunt married, first, probably in England, Elizabeth Bear, who died at Concord, December 27, 1661, when he married, secondly, in 1664, Mary Hurd, by whom he had no issue. She had married, first, Thomas Brigham, and, secondly, Edmund Rice.†

Issue of *William Hunt* and *Elizabeth* ———, his first wife: ‡

i. Samuel, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. Nehemiah, m., 1663, Mary Toll.
iii. Elizabeth, m. John Burns.
iv. Isaac, m., 1667, Mary Stone.

II. Samuel Hunt, 1st, of Concord, Middlesex County, and afterwards of Ipswich, Essex County, Mass., (eldest son of William and Elizabeth,) was born about 1631-33. He inherited his father's house at Concord, with all the buildings, orchard, and land belonging thereto, together with about 275 acres situate in various parts of the town,§ but removed to Ipswich some time prior to 1673, when he purchased some property on Grape Island,

* Middlesex County Probate Records, Vol. III, p. 635.
† Wyman's *History of the Hunt Family*, pp. 42, 82.
‡ Ibid.
§ See *Appendix XXX.*

being styled "of Ipswich," * where he continued to reside until his decease, having, May 11, 1693, with the consent of his wife Elizabeth, and in consideration of their future maintenance, conveyed all his property at Ipswich to his son Joseph.†

Samuel Hunt, 1st, married, in 1656, Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph and Annice Reddinge. See that family, *Chapter XX.* She died February 16, 1706-7.‡

Issue of *Samuel Hunt*, 1*st*, and *Elizabeth Reddinge*, his wife: ⁒

i. SAMUEL, *of whom hereafter.*
ii. WILLIAM, b. April 23, and d. April 29, 1660.
iii. ELIZABETH, b. May 29, 1661; m. ——— Palmer.
iv. WILLIAM, b. 1663; d. December 21, 1747.
v. JOSEPH, b. October 28, 1665.
vi. PETER, b. August 8, 1668; d. 1669.
vii. PETER, b. May 24, 1670; d. without issue, under age.

III. SAMUEL HUNT, 2d, of Billerica and Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Mass., (eldest son of Samuel, 1st, and Elizabeth,) was born at Concord, November 17, 1657.‖ Though his father removed to Ipswich, he resided principally at Concord until his removal to Billerica some time prior to February 18, 1691-92, when he purchased one-fifth of the Winthrop farm of 3000 acres. His plantation being next to the Indian Reservation, his house, near Wamesit, became the garrison, and was standing and known as such within the recollection of an old gentleman still living in the neighborhood. The site of the old house is now a plowed field, near Lowell, but the name of Hunt is perpetuated by a falls and ferry which still bear it. He was active in securing the incorporation of Tewksbury,¶ and died there, January 11, 1742-43, aged 85 years,** having, April 11, 1723, with the consent of his wife Mary, made an agreement with their son Joseph by which he was to maintain them for the rest of their lives and pay his sister, Mary Dowse, the sum of £30.††

* Essex County Deeds, Vol. III, p. 311.
† Ibid., Vol. V, p. 600.
‡ Ibid., Vol. V, p. 598.
⁒ Wyman's *History of the Hunt Family*, p. 82.
‖ Ibid.
¶ Hazen's *History of Billerica.*
** Wyman's *History of the Hunt Family*, p. 82.
†† Middlesex County Deeds, Vol. XXII, p. 290.

A Map of the Streets and Lotts of Land laid out in the town of Burlington

PART OF DELEWARE RIVER

Peter

Fox Meads 37 acres besides allowance for the bridge

High Street

Mr Gilbert Heath

Nathaniel Cripps 7 acres

Joseph Williams

Thos Kindal 4 acres

Dowel Smith 2 acres 40 p

Henry Grubs Lot 100 p

Elizabeth Smith 12 acres

Mr Holingsworth

John Fox

Mr Hopkins

Mr Gilbert Heath

Meadyards Land

Myers 9 acres

James Cripps

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of the Streets and Lotts of Land lying
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of Bellingham
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high Street and

Mr Gibbs

Nathaniel Cropp

Joseph Williams

Thomas Kendall

D: one acres
Daniel Smith
2 acres 40 p

Edward Hall

Ladyards Land

William Myres 9 acres

John Tatham 23 acres

3 acres

Mary Grub Lot 120 p.

Joseph Adams 1 acre 20 p.

Joseph Adams 5 acres

Thos. Kindal 4 acres 10 p.

D: one acre 8 p.

Daniel Smith 2 acres 40 p.

Wm. Stacy

Wm. Stacy 2 acres 120 p.

Samll. Hough

Meeting-house lot

Thos. Minshall

Thos. Wills 1 acre 140 p.

Richard Lane

Samll. Jennings 1 acre 120 p.

Water Lots not yet surveyed

Water Lots surveyed

Jno. Hollingsworth 145 p.

John Fox 45 acres

The Cheesbans Burying Ground 1 acre

Jonah. West 1 acre 122 p.

Saml. Minshall

Thos. Gardiner 1 acre 20 p.

Wm. Hollingsworth 1 acre

Benj. Wheat 20 p.

James Satterthwait 130 p.

Water Lots surveyed

Water Lots not surveyed

Wm. Stacy 9 acres

Saml. Stacy 4 acres 80 p.

Francis Collins 3 acres

Nich. Tucker 2 acres

Francis Collins 2 acres 115 p.

Water Lots not surveyed

PART OF DELEWARE RIVER

Joseph Adams

The Kidd 4 acres 20 p

D: one acres 20 rods

Daniel Smith 2 acres 40 p

Broad Street

Meeting house

Jno Holgate 14 s. 2 l

John Fox

The Cheesmans Burying Ground 1 a 20 p

Jacob West 1 acre 122 p

Jacob Marriott 2½ acres

Jno Gardiner 1 acre 20 p

Benj. Wheat 1 acre

Humphrey

Richard Lowe Wheelwright 1 acre 20 p

Benj. Wheat 1 acre 40 p

Humphrey 120 p

James Sabathorn 13 p

Water Lots surveyed

Water Lots not surveyed

Jacob Stacy 4 acres 80 p

Francis Collins 3 acres

Rich. Tucker 2 acres

James Worrell 2 acres 115 p

Dock

Water Street

John Fothergill 23 acres

3 acres

Peter Rowan

Nathaniel

OF DELEWARE RIVER

Samuel Hunt, 2d, married, first, May 11, 1678, Ruth Tod, and, secondly, in 1688, Mary ———, who lived to an advanced age.*

Issue of *Samuel Hunt*, 2*d*, and *Ruth Tod*, his first wife :†

i. Samuel, b. February 4, 1678; d. October 13, 1738.
ii. John, b. December 30, 1680; d. January 22, 1740-41.
iii. Elizabeth, b. March 4, 1682-83; d. July 13, 1685.
iv. Jeremiah, b. May 29, 1685; d. 1737.
v. Elizabeth, b. June 3, 1687; m. ——— Farmer.

Issue of *Samuel Hunt*, 2*d*, and *Mary* ———, his second wife :‡

i. Thomas, b. September 2, 1689; d. September 16, 1709.
ii. Peter, b. May 6, 1692; d. April 3, 1770.
iii. Joseph, b. September 21, 1694.
iv. Mary, b. July 1, 1696; m. Ebenezer Dowse. See that family, *Chapter XVII*, *p.* 68.
v. Susanna, b. October 2, 1699.

* Wyman's *History of the Hunt Family*, p. 82.
† Ibid., and Hazen's *History of Billerica*.
‡ Ibid.

CHAPTER XX.

REDDINGE FAMILY.

I. Joseph Reddinge, of Ipswich, Essex County, Mass., was early a member of church at Boston, and probably came over with Governor Winthrop, in the fleet which sailed from Yarmouth, April 7, 1630. He went to Cambridge in 1632; was made a freeman May 14, 1634, and about the year 1637 removed to Ipswich, where he died some time prior to 1677, having appointed his daughter Elizabeth sole executrix of his will, in which he left legacies to her children. The legacies were paid out of the estate left at the decease of his widow, Annice, in 1690. Their only child, Elizabeth, was born about 1634,* and married Samuel Hunt, 1st. See that family, *Chapter XIX, p.* 74.

* Savage, Vol. III, p. 520: Essex County Deeds, Liber IV, p. 122, and Liber V, pp. 597-8.

CHAPTER XXI.

ISBELL FAMILY.

I. Robert Isbell, of New London, in the Colony of Connecticut, yeoman, obtained a grant of land from the Townsmen October 19, 1650,* and probably came from Salem, Mass., as a person of that name received a grant of land at that place in 1637.†

Robert Isbell died about 1655, leaving a widow, Ann, who died September 5, 1689, having married, secondly, Mr. William Nicholls, a gentleman of good position in the town, by whom she had no issue.‡

Issue of *Robert Isbell* and *Ann* ———, his wife: §

i. Eleazer, *of whom hereafter.*

ii. Hannah, m., first, August 6, 1668, Thomas Steadman, and, secondly, John Fox, of New London.

II. Eleazer Isbell, of Killingworth, in the County of New London, Conn., yeoman, (son of Robert and Ann,) succeeded to the greater part of his father's estate at New London, and, July 21, 1658, joined his stepfather in consenting to his mother's sale of his late father's house and lot.‖ In 1663 he settled at Killingworth, being one of the original proprietors of the town, which was then called Kenilworth, after the town of that name in Warwickshire, which had been the English home of several of the early settlers.¶ Having established himself permanently at Killingworth, one of Mr. Isbell's first steps seems to have been to dispose of his estate at New London, as in 1665 he sold a tract of 20 acres which had belonged to his father, and in 1674

* New London Land Records.

† Felt's *History of Salem*, p. 169.

‡ Caulkins's *History of New London*, pp. 272, 289.

§ See *Appendix XXXI.*

‖ New London Land Records, Book III, p. 64.

¶ Field's *History of Middlesex County, Conn.*, p. 106.

parted with the remainder of his property at that place, a part of which had been given him by Mr. William Nicholls, and a part inherited from his father, Robert Isbell.*

Eleazer Isbell married, at Killingworth, December 11, 1668, Elizabeth French, and died at the same place September 2, 1677.†

Issue of *Eleazer Isbell* and *Elizabeth French*, his wife :‡

i. Elizabeth, b. September 6, 1669.
ii. Robert, b. September 21, 1671 ; d. young.
iii. Robert, *of whom hereafter.*

III. Robert Isbell, of Killingworth, Conn., yeoman, (son of Eleazer and Elizabeth,) was born at Killingworth, January 20, 1675 ;§ succeeded to his father's estate at that place, and died February 6, 1717-18,‖ bequeathing all his property to his wife, so long as she remained his widow, and directing that when their children came of age she should give them such portions as she thought best. See *Appendix XXXII.* Robert Isbell married, at Killingworth, June 15, 1698,¶ Miriam Carter, who died at the same place, June 23, 1728.**

Issue of *Robert Isbell* and *Miriam Carter*, his wife :††

i. Eleazer, b. April 24, and d. May 14, 1700.
ii. Abigail, b. June 1, 1701 ; d. July 7, 1727.
iii. Hannah, b. October 8, 1703.
iv. Eleazer, b. August 31, 1705.
v. Mary, b. April 19, 1708.
vi. Israel, b. July 15, 1710.
vii. Miriam, b. December 31, 1712.
viii. Noah, *of whom hereafter.*

IV. Noah Isbell, of Lenox, Berkshire County, Mass., yeoman, (son of Robert and Miriam,) was born at Killingworth, August 27, 1717,‡‡ and continued to reside there until 1759,§§ when he removed with his wife and children to Salisbury, in Litchfield County, purchasing a farm of 50 acres, being one-half of lot

* New London Land Records, Book V, pp. 40, 44.
† Killingworth Town Records, Book I, p. 331.
‡ ? Ibid., Book I, p. 338.
‖ Ibid., Book I, p. 353.
¶ Ibid., Book II, p. 192.
** Ibid., Book I, p. 353.
†† Killingworth Town Records, Book II, p. 180.
‡‡ Ibid.
§§ Salisbury Town Book, Vol. II, p. 212.

No. 9 of the Town Hill Division, which he sold to Ware Benton, in 1765.* In October, 1767, when still residing at Salisbury, he purchased a farm of about 60 acres at Lenox, Mass., adjoining the property in Stockbridge belonging to the heirs of the Rev. Jonathan Edwards,† and shortly afterwards removed to that place, being one of the earliest settlers.

He was received as a member of the Lenox Congregational Church, September 22, 1771, and died October 18, 1801,‡ bequeathing his house, farm, and other property to his son, Nathan Isbell, of Lenox, who was directed to pay certain sums of money to his brothers and sisters. See *Appendix XXVIII.*

Noah Isbell married, at Killingworth, Conn., March 16, 1743, O. S., Jerusha, daughter of Daniel and Jerusha Griswold.§ See that family, *Chapter XVII.*

Issue of *Noah Isbell* and *Jerusha Griswold*, his wife:‖

i. Bathsheba, b. November 5, 1743.
ii. Oliver, b. July 28, 1749; d. 1749.
iii. Oliver, *of whom hereafter.*
iv. Noah, b. October 26, 1753.
v. Jerusha, b. March 6, 1755.
vi. Eber, b. July 11, 1758;¶ removed to Charlton, Saratoga County, N. Y., with his elder brother, Oliver, some time prior to March 6, 1790. Eber Isbell m., at Charlton, first, December 2, 1780, Betty Huler, by whom he had issue Eber and Alvin, some time justice of the peace for the County of Saratoga. He m., secondly, June 5, 1790, Candau Root, by whom he had issue Amanda, Anna, and Hiram, father of George Isbell, Esq., of Galway Corners, Saratoga County, who owns his grandfather's Bible, from which this information is taken.
vii. Eli, b. September 27, 1760.
viii. Hannah, b. March 5, 1763.
ix. Nathan, b. July 30, 1765; succeeded to his father's property at Lenox, and d. at that place, a deacon of the church, leaving

* Salisbury Land Records, Book III, p. 585; Book IV, p. 97.

† Berkshire County Deeds, Book VI, p. 16.

‡ Lenox Town Records.

§ Killingworth Town Records, Book II, p. 146.

‖ Killingworth Town Records, Book II, p. 143; Old Book of Salisbury Town Records, 1741-1766, and Lenox Town Records.

¶ In his Bible, Eber Isbell states that he was the son of Noah and Jerusha Isbell, and was born as given above. The Town Records of Killingworth give the date of his birth as July 5, 1758.

issue Chauncey, Nancy, Alvin, Abner, Nathan, Harriet, and William.*

x. Assenath, b. December 13, 1767.

xi. Abner, b. August 23, 1770.

V. Oliver Isbell, of Charlton, Saratoga County, N. Y., yeoman, (eldest son of Noah and Jerusha,) was born at Killingworth, Conn., April 5, 1750.† When he was about 18 years of age his parents, who had previously gone to Salisbury, Conn., removed to Lenox, Mass., where he appears to have married and resided with his family until about the year 1785, when he removed to Charlton, in New York State. Oliver Isbell and his brother Eber appear to have owned property in Saratoga County, though no record of an early purchase can be found at the deeds office. Their brother Nathan, in 1792, while residing at Lenox, purchased a large tract of land at Charlton, which he doubtless sold to his brothers, as he lived and died at Lenox.‡

Issue of *Oliver Isbell* and *Sarah* ———, his wife:§

i. Miriam, b. August 15, 1772.

ii. Sally, b. May 8, 1774.

iii. Jerusha, b. at Lenox, May 8, 1776; m. Thomas Dows, of Charlton. See that family, *Chapter XVII, p.* 70.

iv. Candau, b. July 19, 1778.

v. Salone, b. July 15, 1780; m., at the Presbyterian Church, Charlton, November 19, 1801, Lewis Wicks, of that place.‖

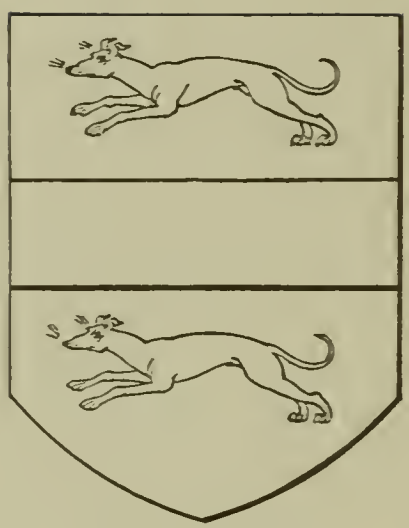
* Berkshire County Probate Records.

† Killingworth Town Records, Book II, p. 143.

‡ Saratoga County Deeds, Book A, pp. 298, 412.

§ Lenox Town Records.

‖ Records of the Presbyterian Church, Charlton.



GRISWOLD.

CHAPTER XXII.

GRISWOLD FAMILY.

For the following account of the Griswold family the compiler is largely indebted to Prof. Edward Elbridge Salisbury's excellent history of the family, and to the kindness of the Hon. William H. Buell, of Clinton, Conn., and Mr. Henry Hull, town clerk of Killingworth, Conn. Prof. Salisbury gives his authority for each statement, and as that has been the plan adopted throughout this work, the compiler only quotes those authorities, without, however, wishing to appropriate the credit therefor.

The Greswolds, of Kenilworth, County Warwick, England,—or Griswold, as their name was sometimes spelled,—appear, by the visitation of the county made in 1619, to have originated with John Greswold, of that place, who married the daughter of William Hugford, of Hulderly, in Solihull, from whom descended, in the eleventh generation, the representative of the family mentioned in 1619.* Their arms were: Argent, a fess gules, between two greyhounds courant, sable. They have been used as of right belonging to the American branch, though, in spite of the most painstaking researches, no one has as yet been able to clearly prove the connection between the ancestor of the American family and the old heraldic Greswolds. The late Joseph L. Chester, LL.D., F.S.A., who was employed in the matter, expressed the opinion that, unless the connecting link could be found among the local wills at Litchfield, it would be impossible to prove the connection. Those wills have since been examined, but without success, and the compiler has also instituted some additional researches with a like result.

It has, however, been clearly established, by the depositions of several members of the family in America, that they possessed

* Publications of the Harleian Society, Vol. XIII; *The Visitation of the County of Warwick, in the Year* 1619, edited by John Fetherston, London, 1877, pp. 60-62.

lands in fee at Kenilworth, in England, both before and after their immigration to this country, and that they were descended from a George Griswold, of that place. See *Appendix XXXIV.* This George Griswold was the father of three sons.—Edward, born in 1607, *of whom hereafter;* Matthew, born in 1620; and Thomas, who remained at Kenilworth, residing on the property belonging to his brother Matthew. The elder brothers immigrated to New England in 1639, in the ship of which Mr. William Whiting was the undertaker,* in company—as is said by tradition—with the Rev. Ephraim Huet, of Windsor, who had been a minister of Wraxall, near Kenilworth, in Warwickshire; was proceeded against by Archbishop Laud, in 1738, for neglect of ceremonies, and came to America during the next year.† They settled at Windsor, Connecticut, from whence, however, Matthew shortly removed to Saybrook, finally establishing himself at Lyme. He became the founder of a very distinguished branch of the family, and died September 27, 1698, having occupied various positions of trust in the colony and acquired a large estate. Among his descendants were Matthew Griswold, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and his son Roger, both of whom were Governors of the State of Connecticut.‡

II. Edward Griswold, the eldest son of George Griswold, of Kenilworth, County Warwick, England, remained at his first place of settlement for some time.§ A Colonial record of 1649 shows him to have been at that time still residing at Windsor, where his sons Francis and George likewise had their families.‖ It is believed that he removed to Killingworth (now Clinton), Conn., in 1663, giving to this New England town the name of his old place of residence in Warwickshire.¶ He was a deputy to the General Court before this, in 1662. Under the year 1667, as "Mr. Edw. Grissell," he is enrolled a deputy, and, as "Mr.

* See *Appendix XXXIV.*

† *Genealogical Dictionary*, by James Savage, Boston, 1860, Vol. II, p. 490.

‡ *The Griswold Family of Connecticut*, by Prof. Edward Elbridge Salisbury, reprinted from the *American Magazine of History* for 1884.

§ See *Appendix XXXIV.*

‖ Public Records of the Colony of Connecticut, 1636-1665, Hartford, 1852, p. 196.

¶ In Queen Elizabeth's time Kenilworth was spelt Killingworth.

Edward Griswold," a commissioner, "for Kenilworth."* In 1674 there was a grant made to him of 200 acres of land, which was laid out, after long delay, in 1682, "at the north end of Lyme bounds." As "Mr. Edward Greswould," he was deputy "for Killingworth" in 1678, when he was also nominated for election as assistant and as commissioner; representing his town in every court held from that year on to 1689, and was, during this period, repeatedly made commissioner.† In 1678 he was on a committee for establishing a Latin school at New London.‡ He was the first deacon of the church of Killingworth.

Mr. Griswold died in 1691, in the eighty-fourth year of his age, having married, first, while in England, Margaret ———, who died at Killingworth, Conn., August 23, 1670; § and, secondly, in 1672-73, the widow of James Bemis, of New London.

Issue of *Edward Griswold* and *Margaret* ———, his first wife:‖

i. Francis, b. in England in 1632; removed from Windsor, Conn., to Saybrook, and afterwards to Norwich, where he d. in 1671, having been for ten years a deputy to the General Court. He was m. and left issue.

ii. George, b. in England; m. at Windsor, Conn., Mary, dau. of Thomas Holcomb, of that place, and d. in 1674, leaving issue.

iii. John, b. in England, and d. at Windsor, Conn., in 1642.

iv. Sarah, b. in England; m., June 10, 1650, Thomas Phelps.

v. Mary, b. at Windsor, Conn.; m., May 19, 1661, Timothy Phelps.

vi. Deborah, b. at Windsor, Conn., in 1646; m., at Killingworth, August 30, 1662, Samuel Buell, ancestor of the Hon. Wm. H. Buell, of Clinton, Conn.

vii. Joseph, b. at Windsor, Conn., in 1647; m. and had issue.

viii. Samuel, b. at Windsor, Conn., and settled at Salisbury, Conn., where he m. and had issue.

ix. John, *of whom hereafter.*

III. John Griswold, of Killingworth, Conn., (youngest child of Edward and Margaret,) was born at Windsor, Conn., August

* Public Records of the Colony of Connecticut, 1665-1677, Hartford, 1852, pp. 58, 63.

† Public Records, 1678-1689, Hartford, 1859, pp. 13, 15, 24, 26, 48, 49, 75, 76, 97, 121, 139, 140, 195, 230, 237, 251.

‡ *History of Norwich*, by Frances Manwaring Caulkins, published by the author, 1866, p. 92.

§ Her gravestone stands in the Clinton Congregational Burying-ground, inscribed with the letters "M. G.," and is called the oldest monument.

‖ Salisbury's *Griswolds of Connecticut*, and information obtained from the Hon. Wm. H. Buell.

15, 1652; succeeded to much of his father's property at Killingworth, and occupied a prominent position in the town, having been its representative in the General Court of the Colony for the sessions from 1698 to 1716.*

Mr. Griswold married, first, at Killingworth, May 29, 1670, Mary Bemis, who died October 27, 1679, and, secondly, Bathsheba ———, who died March 19, 1736.†

Issue of *John Griswold* and *Mary Bemis*, his first wife:‡

i. Mary, b. February 1, 1673.
ii. Margaret, b. December 10, 1675.
iii. Hannah, b. October 25, 1677; m. John Crane.
iv. John, b. September 22, 1679; d. December 27, 1679.

Issue of *John Griswold* and *Bathsheba* ———, his second wife:⁂

i. Dorothy, b. May, 4, 1681; d. young.
ii. Bathsheba, b. December 5, 1682; m., December 8, 1708, Daniel Clark.
iii. Samuel, b. April 4, 1685; m. and had issue.
iv. Lucy, b. July 26, 1686; m. Ebenezer Stevens.
v. Martha, b. June 1, 1689; d. March 7, 1690.
vi. Joseph, b. September 26, 1690; m., December 29, 1714, Temperance Say.
vii. Benjamin, b. September 26, 1690; m., June 7, 1718, Abigail Norton.
viii. Dorothy, b. September 23, 1692.
ix. Martha, b. June 16, 1694.
x. Daniel, *of whom hereafter.*
xi. Walter, b. October 25, 1698; m., October 24, 1723, Sarah Wright, and removed to Saybrook.

IV. Lieutenant Daniel Griswold (son of John and Bathsheba) was born at Killingworth, Conn., October 25, 1696, and married Jerusha Stevens, March 9, 1721; afterwards removing to Saybrook, where all his children were born. He returned to Killingworth, where he died, September 10, 1737, and in the registers of the church is styled "Lieutenant of the Town Militia."‖

* Information obtained from the Hon. Wm. H. Buell.

† Registers of the Town of Killingworth and information abtained from the Hon. Wm. H. Buell.

‡ Ibid.

⁂ Ibid.

‖ Registers of the town of Killingworth, and information obtained from Mr. Henry Hull, town clerk.

Issue of *Daniel Griswold* and *Jerusha Stevens*, his wife: *

i. JERUSHA, b. in 1722-23; m. Noah Isbell, of Killingworth. See that family, *Chapter XXI*, p. 79.
ii. BATHSHEBA, d. at Killingworth, October 2, 1737.
iii. SAMUEL, d. at Killingworth, April 7, 1745, "a minor."
iv. DANIEL.
v. JOSIAH, maternal grandfather of the Hon. Wm. H. Buell.
vi. SARAH.
vii. GRACE

* Mr. Hull writes that Daniel and Jerusha Griswold's children were all born at Saybrook, and that the Killingworth records only give a list of them without dates of birth.

APPENDIX.

APPENDIX I.

DESCENDANTS OF HENRY WHITE OF VIRGINIA.*

I. HENRY WHITE, Senior, of James City County, Virginia, living 1649-66, and had issue:

2. i. HENRY, Junior, b. 1635; m., first, Mary ———; m., secondly, Damaris Morrison.
3. ii. ARNOLD, m. Mary ———.
iii. [A DAUGHTER], m. Thomas Symons, of Symons Creek.

II. HENRY WHITE, Junior,[2] (Henry,[1]) of Little River, Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 1635; died 8th mo., 3, 1712; married, first, in 1660, Mary ———, who died 3d mo., 3, 1679, leaving issue:

i. MARGARET, b. 1662; m., 4th mo., 24, 1679, Solomon Pool.
ii. ANN, b. 10th mo., 5, 1669.
iii. ELIZABETH, b. 10th mo., 29, 1673; m., 4th mo., 24, 1790, Ames Davis.
4. iv. ROBERT, b. 11th mo., 2, 1674; m., first, Tabitha Alford; m., secondly, Rebecca Newby.
v. JAMES, b. 5th mo., 20, 1676.
5. vi. JOHN (twin), b. 5th mo., 20, 1676; m. Elizabeth Newby.
vii ELKANAH, b. 2d mo., 4, 1679.

Henry White, Junior, married, secondly, in 1680, Damaris Morrison, who died 9th mo., 7, 1722, leaving issue:

i. MARY, b. 8th mo., 1682.
ii. DAMARIS, b. 12th mo., 1684; m., 6th mo., 8, 1700, John Symons, son of Thomas.
iii. CONTENT.
6. iv. HENRY, b. 4th mo., 25, 1690; m. Ruth Keaton. May 727
v. ARNOLD, b. 7th mo., 1693, and prior to 1724 removed to Perquimans County, N C.; m. Elizabeth ———.
vi. MARY, b. 7th mo., 1696; m., 1st mo., 1721, William Evergreen.
vii. ISAAC, b. 4th mo., 24, 1700; d. 7th mo., 2, 1715.
viii. NAOMI, b. 7th mo., 1704; m , 5th mo., 1732, James Newby.

* Compiled from information obtained from the family, the wills, deeds, and Friends' Registers.

III. Arnold White,[2] (Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, N. C., died 3d mo., 23, 1690; married Mary ———, who died 1st mo., 1678-79, leaving issue:

i. Philimon, b. 10th mo., 10, 1670; d. young.
7. ii. Arnold, b. 4th mo., 29, 1673; m., first, Parthenia Wilson; m., secondly, Jane Pike.
iii. Paul, b. 1st mo., 20, 1676; d. young.

IV. Robert White,[3] (Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Little River, born 11th mo., 2, 1674; married, first, 6th mo., 1702, Tabitha Alford, by whom he had issue:

8. i. Jonathan; m. Ann Pike.
ii. Zephaniah.
9. iii. Joseph; m. Sarah Newby.

Robert White married, secondly, in 1717, Rebecca, daughter of John Newby, and widow of John Overman, by whom he had issue:

i. Annes, m., first, Benjamin Mead; m., secondly, in 1768, Thomas Amour.
ii. Elizabeth, living in 1727.
10. iii. Robert; b. 1723; m. Elizabeth ———.

V. John White,[3] (Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 5th mo., 20, 1676; died 1st mo., 25, 1717; married Elizabeth, daughter of John Newby, by whom he had issue:

i. Abraham, b. 12th mo., 3, 1700; m., 9th mo., 1723, Sarah Keaton.
ii. Sarah, b. 11th mo., 1703; d. 5th mo., 25, 1736; m. Joseph Pobble.
iii. Rachel, b. 7th mo., 1705.
11. iv. James, b. 11th mo., 1707; m. Miriam Keaton.
v. Elizabeth, b. 11th mo., 1711.
vi. Rebecca, b. 5th mo., 1716; d. 11th mo., 25, 1718.
vii. John, b. 11th mo., 1719; d. 11th mo., 1, 1750; m., 9th mo., 1746, Susanna Hill.

VI. Henry White,[3] (Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of New River, Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 4th mo., 25, 1690; died 2d mo., 2, 1739; married, 3d mo., 1727, Ruth Keaton, who died 10th mo., 19, 1734. They had issue:

i. Thomas, b. 1st mo., 2, 1728.
ii. Jack, b. 10th mo., 28, 1729.

VII. Arnold White,[3] (Arnold,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 4th mo., 29, 1673; died 1st mo.,

13, 1729-30; married, first, 9th mo., 5, 1696, Parthenia, daughter of Mirall Wilson, who died 10th mo., 28, 1717, leaving issue:

i. Paul, b. 8th mo., 6, 1697; d. 3d mo., 10, 1718.
ii. Ann, b. 10th mo., 1, 1699.
iii. Joshua, b. 12th mo., 28, 1702; d. 11th mo., 4, 1750.
iv. Sarah, b. 4th mo, 1704.
12. v. Nehemiah, b. 12th mo., 25, 1712; m., first, Thamar Overman; m., secondly, Martha Pritchard.
vi. Parthenia, b. 10th mo, 6, 1716.

Arnold White married, secondly, in 1720, Jane Pike, by whom he had no issue.

VIII. Jonathan White,[4] (Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, died 11th mo., 10, 1746, having married, 2d mo., 10, 1729, Ann, daughter of Samuel Pike, by whom he had issue:

i. Samuel, b. 11th mo., 17, 1734.
ii. Joseph, b. 11th mo., 17, 1734.
iii. John, b. 2d mo., 3, 1737.

IX. Joseph White,[4] (Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, married, 4th mo., 1736, Sarah Newby, by whom he had issue:

i. Susanna, b. 6th mo., 16, 1737.
ii. Joshua.

X. Robert White,[4] (Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Little River, born 1723, and married, about 1751, Elizabeth ———, who survived him, and died 10th mo., 15, 1797, aged over 63 years. They had issue:

13. i. Jordan, m. Dorothy Beresford McCulloch.
ii. Robert.
iii. Reuben.
14 iv. James, b. February 1, 1766; m. Mary Rose.
v. Elizabeth.
vi. Sarah.

XI. James White,[4] (John,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 11th mo., 1707; died 9th mo., 1750; married, in 1731, Miriam, daughter of Henry Keaton, by whom he had issue:

15. i. Benjamin, m. Miriam Pike.
16. ii. James, m. Elizabeth Symons.

XII. Nehemiah White,[4] (Arnold,[3] Arnold,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, born 12th mo., 25, 1712; married, first, 3d mo., 1732, Thamar Overman, who died without issue; married, secondly, 3d mo., 1734, Martha Pritchard, by whom he had issue:

i. Sarah, b. 1st mo., 9, 1737.
17. ii. Benjamin, b. 5th mo., 19, 1738; m., first, Anna ———; m., secondly, Rachel Elliott
18. iii. Joshua, b. 10th mo., 1, 1739; m. Hulda ———.
iv. Nehemiah, b. 5th mo., 6, 1742.
v. Parthenia, b. 12th mo., 18, 1743.

XIII. Jordan White,[5] (Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Little River, born in 1752, and died 12th mo., 3, 1800, having married Dorothy Beresford, daughter of Henry McCulloch, Esquire, of North Carolina, and formerly of Dublin, by whom he had issue:

i. John.
ii. Richard.
iii. Benjamin.
iv. William.

XIV. James White,[5] (Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) born February 1, 1766; removed to Tuckerton, Burlington County, New Jersey, and died July 2, 1837, having married Mary, daughter of William Rose, of that place, by whom he had issue:

19 i. William Rose, b. February 7, 179[illegible]; m. Mary Stockton.
20. ii. Reuben, b. October 14, 1797; m. Hannah Brown.
iii. Maria, b. March 21, 1800; m. Daniel Camp.
21. iv. Seymour, b. December 15, 1801; m. Maria Palmer.
v. Eliza, b. April 20, 1804; m. William Hughes.
22. vi. Sarah, b. May 12, 1806; m. Hezekiah Brown, Jr.
vii. James Edward, b. February 1, 1808; m. Elizabeth Strauss.
viii. Lucinda Margaret, b. April 14, 1810; d. September 25, 1812
ix. Ann, b. January 19, 1812; m. Thomas Crozier.
23. x. Lucinda Margaret, b. April 18, 1815; m. Amand Lafore.
xi. Robert Mayson, b. October 11, 1817; m. Catharine McFarland.

XV. Benjamin White,[5] (James,[4] John,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, married, 10th mo., 7, 1761, Miriam, daughter of Samuel Pike, by whom he had issue:

i. James, b. September 12, 1762, and d. in 1807, having m., in 1781, Ann, dau. of Matthew Pritchard, who d. in 1825.
ii. Samuel, b. October 2, 1764.

XVI. James White,[5] (James,[4] John,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, married, 10th mo., 23, 1768, Elizabeth, daughter of J. Symons, by whom he had issue:

i. Henry, b. 7th mo., 27, 1772; d. 10th mo., 24, 1784.
ii. Miriam, b. 7th mo., 27, 1774.
iii. Rebecca, b. 12th mo., 7, 1777.
iv. Abraham, b. 10th mo., 1, 1782.
v. James, b. 12th mo., 5, 1787.
vi. Benjamin, b. 8th mo., 25, 1790.
vii. John, b. 8th mo., 25, 1790.

XVII. Benjamin White,[5] (Nehemiah,[4] Arnold,[3] Arnold,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 5th mo., 19, 1738, and was living in 1789, having married, first, Anna ———, who died 2d mo., 4, 1780, leaving issue:

i. Martha, b. 10th mo., 3, 1767.
ii. Sarah, b. 3d mo., 13, 1770.
iii. Benjamin, b. 7th mo., 23, 1771.
iv. Joseph, b. 7th mo., 23, 1771.
v. Josiah, b. 10th mo., 25, 1773.
vi. Parthenia, b. 7th mo., 18, 1776.
vii. Anna, b. 4th mo., 5, 1778.

Benjamin White married, secondly, 4th mo., 7, 1781, Rachel, daughter of Jonathan Elliott, by whom he had issue:

i. Elizabeth, b. 7th mo., 2, 1782.
ii. Joseph Pritchard, b. 10th mo., 14, 1784.
iii. Rachel, b. 10th mo., 24, 1785.
iv. Ruth, b. 10th mo., 28, 1786.
v. Jesse, b. 10th mo., 28, 1786.
vi. Abigail, b. 10th mo., 25, 1788.
vii. Benoni, b. 3d mo., 13, 1790.

XVIII. Joshua White,[5] (Nehemiah,[4] Arnold,[3] Arnold,[2] Henry,[1]) of Pasquotank County, North Carolina, born 10th mo., 1, 1739; will dated in 1779; married Hulda ———, who was living in 1784, and by whom he had issue:

i. Nehemiah.
ii. Benoni.
iii. Robert, d. in 1808.
iv. Thomas.
v. Joshua.
vi. Sarah, b. 1st mo., 11, 1773.
vii. Margaret.
viii. Mary.
ix. Hulda.

XIX. William Rose White,[6] (James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Hulmeville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, born February 7, 1796, and died July 10, 1830, having married, March 22, 1821, Mary, daughter of Samuel Stockton, of Burlington, New Jersey, by whom he had issue:

24. i. Samuel Stockton, b. June 19, 1822; m. Sarah Jane Carey.
ii. Charles Henry, b. and d. January 12, 1824.
25. iii. Mary Jane, b. April 2, 1825; m. Joseph Monier.
26. iv. James William, b. September 29, 1826; m. Mary Ann McClaranan.

XX. Reuben White,[6] (James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Tuckerton, New Jersey, born October 14, 1797, and married Hannah, daughter of Captain Hezekiah Brown, Sr., who died March 11, 1851, and by whom he had issue:

i. Barton.
ii. John.
iii. Wesley.
iv. Micajah.

XXI. Seymour White,[6] (James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Tuckerton, New Jersey, born December 15, 1801, and married Maria Palmer, by whom he had issue:

i. William.
ii. Adeline.
iii. Hannah Ann.

XXII. Sarah White,[6] (James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) married, May 12, 1806, Hezekiah Brown, Jr., of Tuckerton, New Jersey. They had issue:

i. Daniel.
ii. Mary.
iii. Hannah.
iv. Micajah.
v. Margaret.
vi. William.
vii. James.
viii. Thomas.
ix. Eliza.
x. Hezekiah.

XXIII. Lucinda Margaret White,[6] (James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) born April 18, 1815; married, September 27, 1836, Amand Lafore, of Philadelphia, who was born at Troyes (Aube), France, September 27, 1808. They had issue:

i. Anastasie Celina, b. June 27, 1837; m. Jules M. Ravel.
ii. Margaret Emma, b. March 14, 1839.
iii. John Eugene, b. February 24, 1841.
iv. James Leopold, b. March 5, 1843; d. August 22, 1868.
v. Mary Magdalen, b. May 29, 1847; d. April 17, 1879.
vi. Lizette Elie, b. October 10, 1849; d. March 12, 1881.
vii. Augustus Edward, b. August 26, 1851; d. August 14, 1852.
viii. Maria Lavinia, b. June 29, 1853; d September 17, 1853.

XXIV. Samuel Stockton White, D.D.S.,[7] (William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Philadelphia, born June 19, 1822, and died at Paris, France, December 30, 1879, having married, March 31, 1846, Sarah Jane, daughter of Anthony Bigger Carey, by whom he had issue:

i. William Anthony, b. January 27, 1847; d. July 18, 1852.
27. ii. James Clarence, b. December 2, 1848; m. Elizabeth Loretto Keenan.
iii. Mary Ella, b. September 17, 1851; d. July 22, 1852.
iv. Helen Stockton, b. December 6, 1853; m., April 24, 1888, Granville B. Haines, of Philadelphia.
28. v. Samuel Stockton, Jr., b. December 20, 1855; m. Kate Elizabeth Brown.
29. vi. Ida Carey, b. August 25, 1857; m. Henry Mather Warren.
vii. Sallie May, b. May 2, 1866; m., April 14, 1887, Harlan Vietor Gause, of Wilmington, Del.

XXV. Mary Jane White,[7] (William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) born April 2, 1825, and married, February 22, 1848, Joseph Monier, of Philadelphia, who died August 8, 1876, aged 56 years. They had issue:

i. Mary Bullard, b. May 25, 1850.
ii. Edwin Bullard, b. May 11, 1854.
iii. Laura Stockton, b. August 27, 1857.
iv. Joseph William, b. September 28, 1864.

XXVI. James William White, M.D.,[7] (William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Philadelphia, born September 29, 1826, and married, October 28, 1847, Mary Ann, daughter of James McClaranan, of Philadelphia. They have issue:

i. James William, Ph.D., M.D., b. November 2, 1850; m., June 22, 1888, Letitia, youngest daughter of Benjamin Hartley Brown, Esq., of Philadelphia.
30. ii. Samuel Stockton, b. August 10, 1854; m. Ida May Riegel.
iii. Louis Piers, b. August 11, 1865.

XXVII. James Clarence White,[8] (Samuel Stockton,[7] William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Philadelphia, born December 2, 1848, and married, April 26, 1870, Elizabeth Loretto, daughter of John Aloysius Keenan, of New York City, by whom he has issue:

i. Florence May, b. March 28, 1871; d. February 10, 1875.
ii. Helen Stockton, b. August 12, 1872.
iii. James Clarence, Jr., b. November 13, 1873; d. April 29, 1876.
iv. Samuel Stockton, b. July 11, 1876.
v. William Littell, b. November 6, 1878.
vi. Thomas Gardiner, b. March 15, 1881; d. March 20, 1882.

XXVIII. Samuel Stockton White, Junior,[8] (Samuel Stockton,[7] William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) of Philadelphia, born December 20, 1855, and married, April 6, 1881, Kate Elizabeth, daughter of Benjamin Hartley Brown, of Philadelphia, by whom he has issue:

i. Richard Stockton, b. April 26, 1885.

XXIX. Ida Carey White,[8] (Samuel Stockton,[7] William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) born August 25, 1857, and married, April 25, 1882, Henry Mather Warren, of Philadelphia, son of Henry White Warren, D.D., a Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church. They have issue:

i. Helen White, b. March 13, 1883.
ii. William Mather, b. March 10, 1884; d. March 11, 1884.
iii. Henry Mather, Jr., b. June 2, 1885.

XXX. Samuel Stockton White,[8] (James William,[7] William Rose,[6] James,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Henry,[2] Henry,[1]) born August 10, 1854, and married, April 22, 1885, Ida May, daughter of Stephen Riegel, of Philadelphia, by whom he has issue:

i. Ethel Riegel, b. May 13, 1886.

APPENDIX II.

ARNOLD WHITE'S WILL.

The Will of Arnold White, Registered by me, Henry White:

In the name of God amen:

I Arnold White being sick and weak, yet in sound and perfect memory: Revoking and disanuling all former wills by me promised or made, concluding and declaring this to be my last will and Testament in manner and forme as followeth:

Imprimus, I Resine and give up to the will of God how it may please him to doe me here in this vail of mesary, knowing assuredly that God shall reward the works of the Righteous and recompense the way of the Just and in this assurance I shall lay downe this mortall and put on Immortality, then shall death be swallowed up in victory and Evry seed shall have its one body that God shall prepaire to it as it semeth good to him. Secondly, my Body to be desantly buried at the descretion of my trustese that shall be named at the latter end of this my will. Therdly, I doe apint my son and heire Arnold White my trewe and lawful exsekitor of all my Estate both reall and personall to all Intents and purposes: only what legaly I shall name, that is first I doe give and bequeath my Brothers Daughter Elizabeth one cow and calfe, and my Brothers three sons one neare coult which is to * * * for * * * them, and if my Said Son and heir should desese before he is of age then all my Said Estate both reall and personall to fall and belong to my Brother Henry Whites children to be divided equally amnst them. The trust oversight of this my will I leave to my trusty and well beloved Brothers Henry White and Thomas Simons, and heire shall not Bargain nor sell without the Consent of any one or both of these my trustese my son sone* after my desese shall be posesed of this my Estate all and singular threto belonging, but shall be under tuetion of my said trustese til he comes of age and shall not act nor doe

* Sic.

any thing without their consents. As witness under my hand and seall this 22 of 2 month.†

ARNOLD WHITE. {SEAL}

Delivered in the presence of us,
STEPHEN MONDEN,
WILLIAM MAN,
JEAMS DAVIS.

[Recorded in the 1st Book of Minutes of the Little River Quarterly Meeting.]

† Sic.

APPENDIX III.

HENRY WHITE'S PATENT.

To all, &c., wheras know ye That I the said Sir William Berkeley, Knight, Governor, &c., give and grant unto Henry White, Junior, seven hundred acres of Land laying on a small Creek called Corawtucks that falls into Keeoughtauke River. Beginning toward the head of the said Creek at a marked Gum by the side of a swamp and rnnning west northwest into the woods 320 poles then south south southwest 350 poles, then east sonthwest 320 poles to a marked Oak on the Creek by the mouth of a small branch and so up the said Creek to the first station. The said Land being due to the said White by transportation of Fourteen persons, &c. To be Held, &c., yeilding and paying, &c., provided, &c.

Dated the 25th of September, 1663.

[Book IV of Patents, p. 595, Land Registry Office, Richmond, Virginia.]

APPENDIX IV.

ROBERT WHITE'S DEED OF GIFT.

North Carolina, July the 17*th*, 1727.

Know all men by these Presents that I Robert White of the Prect. of Pasquotank, For divers Causes me hereunto moving, do hereby give grant and make over to my Son Joseph White one negroe woman named Rose (that is to say) she and her increase to my sd Son Joseph, also a Mare and Colt and Cow and Calf, also to my son Jonathan White one Negro Boy named Tildin; to him and his heires forever; one Cow and Calf and a Mare and Colt to Jonathan White. Also to my Son Zephaniah White one Negro Boy named Robin, also a Mare and Colt, and a Cow and to him his Heirs forever. Also I give unto my Three Sons, Joseph, Jonathan and Zephaniah, one Negro Girl named Hannah and her increase, to them and their Heires, only Jonathan shall have her fifteen years first, and then from year to year amongst the three above mentioned. Also I give grant and make over to my three youngest children, Annes, Elizabeth and Robert White, one Negro Girl named Hager. If in case I have any more children by my wife Rebecca White theis the sd Hager and her increase I make to be equally divided amongst them. Also to my two Daughters Two Mares and Colts and their increase; also to my Son Robert White a young mare and her increase. Now for confirmation thereof I have put my hand and seal this 17th day of July and in the year of my Lord 1727.

Robert White. { SEAL }

Rebecca White. { SEAL }

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of us,
Arnold White,
Joshua White.

Pasquotank Preet. Court, July 18, 1727. The foregoing Deed of Gift was acknowledged by Robert White the Donor to his children herein mentioned the Donees.

Reg. Aug. 25, 1727.
Thos. Weekes, Regsr.

[Book A of Pasquotank County Deeds, p. 404.]

APPENDIX V.

JOHN AND SARAH CRANMER'S CERTIFICATE.

At a Monthly Meeting at Nathaniel ffitz Randolph's in Wooudbridge y^e^ 19th Day of y^e^ 4th Month, 1707.

At this Meeting John Cranmer gave in a Writing to y^e^ Same which the Meeting Orders to be read—which was don and is as followeth :

The first day of y^e^ third Month, 1707.

Whereas, John Cranmer and Sarah his wife late of little Egg harbour have been convinced of y^e^ Truth amongst us whose names are under written and have constantly frequented Meeting^s^ and have behaved themselves soberly amongst us and under a Sense of Truth in their hearts tho they are but week and our desire is that they be helped by ffriends where they come so y^t^ which is good in them may be nourished and y^t^ weak strengthened y^t^ they may grow strong to y^e^ glory of God.

By ffriends at Egg harbour.

Edward Andrews,	William Cranmer,
Mordieai Andrews,	Mary Jacobs,
Richard Willits,	Elizabeth Willits,
Gervis Pharo,	Jane Osborne,
Thomas Ridgeway,	Sarah Andrews.

[Extracted from the Minutes of the Woodbridge Monthly Meeting.]

APPENDIX VI.

PENELOPE STOUT'S ADVENTURES WITH THE INDIANS.

While New York was in possession of the Dutch, about the time of the Indian War in New England, a Dutch ship coming from Amsterdam was stranded on Sandy Hook, but the passengers got on shore. Among them was a young Dutchman who had been sick most of the voyage. He was taken so bad after landing that he could not travel; and the other passengers being afraid of the Indians, would not stay till he recovered, but made what haste they could to New Amsterdam. His wife however would not leave him; the rest promised to send as soon as they arrived: They had not been long gone before a company of Indians, coming down to the water side, discovered them on the beach, and hastening to the spot, soon killed the man, and cut and mangled the woman in such a manner that they left her for dead. She had strength enough to crawl up to some old logs not far distant, and getting into a hollow one, lived mostly in it for several days, subsisting in part by eating the excrescences that grew from it. The Indians had left some fire on the shore, which she kept together for warmth: having remained in this manner for some time, an old Indian and a young one coming down to the beach found her; they were soon in high words, which she afterwards understood was a dispute; the former being for keeping her alive, the other for dispatching: After they had debated the point a while, the first hastily took her up, and tossing her upon his shoulder, carried her to a place near where Middletown now stands, where he dressed her wounds and soon cured her: After some time the Dutch at New Amsterdam, hearing of a white woman among the Indians, concluded who it must be, and some of them came to her relief. The old man her preserver gave her the choice either to go or stay; she chose the first! A while after marrying to one Stout, they lived together at Middletown among other Dutch inhabitants. The old Indian who saved her life used frequently to visite her; at one of his visits she observed him to be more pensive than common, and sitting down he gave three heavy sighs; after the last she thought herself at liberty to ask him what was the

matter? He told her he had something to tell her in friendship, tho' at the risk of his own life, which was, that the Indians were that night to kill all the whites, and advised her to go off for New Amsterdam. She asked him how she could get off? He told her he had provided a canoe at a place which he named: Being gone from her, she sent for her husband out of the field, and discovered the matter to him, who not believing it, she told him the old man *never deceived her*, and that she with her children would go; accordingly going to the place appointed they found the canoe and paddled off. When they were gone, the husband began to consider the thing, and sending for five or six of his neighbors, they set upon their guard. About midnight they heard the dismal war-whoop; presently came up a company of Indians; they first expostulated, and then told them, if they persisted in their bloody design, they would sell their lives very dear: Their argument prevailed, the Indians desisted, and entered into a league of peace, which was kept without violation. From this woman, thus remarkably saved, with her scars visible through a long life, is descended a numerous posterity of the name of Stout, now (1765) inhabiting New Jersey.

[Samuel Smith's *History of New Jersey*, pp. 65-6-7.]

APPENDIX VII.

DESCENDANTS OF RICHARD AND ABIGAIL STOCKTON.*

I. Richard Stockton, of Flushing, Long Island, and afterwards of Oneanickon, Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, who is presumed to have been a descendant of John Stockton, Esquire, of Keddington, previously referred to, arrived at Flushing from England some time prior to November 8, 1656, when his name appears in a petition of some of the inhabitants of that town requesting the release of William Wickendom, who had been fined and imprisoned for preaching without license.

Richard Stockton was a freeholder of the town; in 1665 appointed lieutenant of the Horse Company of Flushing, and in 1669 elected lieutenant of the Foot Company of the same place, which latter appointment the Governor allowed him to decline on account of his previous employment in the Horse service. About this time, or shortly afterwards, he became a member of the Society of Friends, and in 1690 removed to New Jersey, purchasing the Oneanickon estate, which consisted of about 2000 acres in Springfield Township, Burlington County. In 1694 he disposed of his property at Flushing for the consider-

* Compiled principally from the records of wills, conveyances, births, marriages, and deaths, and reliable information obtained from several members of the family, though the compiler is indebted to Mr. J. W. Stockton's history of the Princeton branch of this family for his account of the descendants of Richard Stockton the Signer, and his brother, the Rev. Philip Stockton. This is, of course, not even a full list of the descendants of Richard and Abigail Stockton bearing the name of Stockton, but is inserted here as the compiler believes it to be accurate as far as it goes, and very nearly complete in the first four generations. He hopes, however, some time to publish a full and complete history of the American Stocktons, and will be glad to correspond with any descendants of the family who may feel disposed to assist him in any way.—W. F. C.

ation of £300, and died at his house of Oneanickon, in September, 1707.

Richard Stockton married, in England, Abigail ———, who survived him at least seven years, and by whom he had issue:

2. i. Richard, m Susanna Robinson.
3. ii. John, b. 1674; m., first, Mary Leeds; m., secondly, Ann ———.
4. iii. Job, m. Anna Petty.
5. iv. Abigail, m. Richard Ridgway, Sr.
6. v. Mary, m., first, Thomas Shinn; m., secondly, Silas Crispin; m., thirdly, Richard Ridgway, Jr.
 vi. Sarah, m., about 1697, Benjamin Jones, of Burlington County, N. J., by whom she had issue.
 vii. Hannah, m. Philip Phillips.
7. viii. Elizabeth, b. 1680; m. William Budd.

II. Richard Stockton,[2] (Richard,[1]) of Stony Brook, (now Princeton), Somerset County, New Jersey, accompanied his father to New Jersey, and settled at Piscataway, in Middlesex County. In August, 1696, he acquired from the Proprietors of East New Jersey a tract of 400 acres of land on the north side of Stony Brook, the consideration being a yearly quit rent of £4 sterling, and in 1701 purchased of William Penn, for the sum of £900 lawful money of Pennsylvania, an estate of 5500 acres on Stony Brook, of which the present town of Princeton is the center.* In June, 1709, he was one of the trustees of the Friends' Meeting-house at Stony Brook, but died the next month.

Richard Stockton married, 9th mo. (November) 8, 1691, at the Chesterfield Meeting, Susanna Robinson, who after his decease married Thomas Leonard, Esquire, of Princeton, by whom she had no issue. They had issue:

8. i. Richard, b. 1692-93.
9. ii. Samuel, b. 1694-95; m., first, Amy Doughty; m., secondly, Rachel ———.
10. iii. Joseph, b. 1696-97; m. Elizabeth ———.
11. iv. Robert, b. 1698-99; m., secondly, Rebecca Phillips.
12. v. John, b. 1701; m. Abigail Phillips.

* Mr. J. W. Stockton, in his *History of the Stockton Family*, quotes Hagemann's *History of Princeton* as his authority for the statement that when Richard Stockton settled at Princeton the place had no name, and that he afterwards named it Stony Brook, in remembrance of a little stony brook that coursed through his land on Long Island, but the deeds for Richard Stockton's property show it to have been so called before his settlement.

vi. Thomas, b. 1703. Inherited considerable property from his father, all of which was sold during his minority. He was last mentioned January 25, 1724-25, when he acknowledged his signature to a deed to his uncle, Job Stockton. See Virginia Stocktons, *Appendix VIII.*

III. John Stockton,[2] (Richard,[1]) of Oneanickon, Springfield Township, Burlington County, N. J., born 1674; died March 29, 1747; married, first, in 1704, Mary, daughter of Daniel Leeds, some time Surveyor-General of the Province of West New Jersey. They had issue:

13. i. Daniel, b. November 10, 1705; m. Hannah Fisher.
14. ii. Rebecca, m. David Lippincott.

John Stockton married, secondly, Ann ———, who died July 25, 1745, aged 68 years. They had issue:

15. i. David, m. Ruth Lippincott.
ii. [A Daughter], m. ——— Butterworth, and had issue.
iii. Rachel, m. ——— Briggs.
16. iv. Mary, m. Christopher Wetherill.

IV. Job Stockton,[2] (Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, died in 1732, having married Anna, sister to William Petty, who died in 1746. They had issue:

17. i. Joseph, m. Mary Farnsworth.
ii. Job, d. without issue, in 1732.
18. iii. William, m. Mary Brian.
iv. Anna, m. Vincent Leeds, and had issue.

V. Abigial Stockton[2] (Richard[1]) became the second wife of Richard Ridgway, of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey,* and died in 1726. They had issue:

i. Job, d. in 1761; m., 1719, Rebecca, dau. of John Butcher.
ii. Abigail, m., 1717, Henry Clothier.
iii. John.
iv. Mary, m., 1718, John Ballenger.
v. Jane, m., 1721, Isaac Antrim.
vi. Sarah.
vii. Joseph, m., first, in 1727, Sarah Butcher, and, secondly, in 1737, Hannah Allen.†

*Richard Ridgway, of Wallingford, in Buckinghamshire, England, settled in Bucks County, Pa., in 1679, and removed to New Jersey about the year 1690. He had issue by his first wife, Elizabeth Chamberlain: Thomas, born in 1679; Richard, Jr., born in 1680; Elizabeth, born in 1682; Josiah.

†Joseph Ridgway had issue by his second wife a daughter, Sarah, born in 1748, who married Joseph Pancoast, who was born in 1741, and died in 1808. They had issue four daughters: Elizabeth, Hannah, Abigail, and Sarah, and one son, John Pancoast, born in 1771, who married Ann Abbott, by whom he had issue, among others, the late Dr. Joseph Pancoast, of Philadelphia.

VI. Mary Stockton[2] (Richard[1]) married, first, in 1693, Thomas Shinn, of Burlington County, New Jersey, who died 9th mo. (November) 15, 1695. They had issue:

i. Thomas, b. 11th mo. (January) 6, 1693.
ii. Samuel, b. 2d mo. (April) 5, 1695.

Mary Stockton married, secondly, in 1697, Silas Crispin,* of Burlington County, New Jersey, first cousin to William Penn, of Pennsylvania; died May 31, 1711. They had issue:

i. Joseph, b. 8th mo. (October) 7, 1698; m. Sarah Barratt.
ii. Benjamin, b. 7th mo. (September) 1, 1699; m., 6th mo. (August) 21, 1722, Margaret Owen.
iii. Abigail, b. January 20, 1701; m. John Wright, of Springfield Township.
iv. Silas, Jr., b. March 19, 1702; m., November 9, 1724, Mary Wetherill.
v. Mary, b. May 12, 1705; m., 9th mo. (November) 6, 1727, Thomas Earle, of Burlington County.
vi. John, b. December 11, 1707.

Mary Stockton married, thirdly, in 1714, Richard Ridgway, Jr.,† of Burlington County, New Jersey, step-son of her sister Abigail, wife of Richard Ridgway, Sr. They had no issue.

VII. Elizabeth Stockton,[2] (Richard,[1]) born in 1680; married William Budd, of Burlington County, New Jersey, who died in 1723. He was the eldest son of William Budd, of Burlington County, youngest son of Thomas Budd, Rector of Martock, in Somersetshire, who, about the year 1657, renounced his benefice and became a minister among Friends. William and Elizabeth (Stockton) Budd had issue:

i. Thomas, m. Jemima Leeds.
ii. William, m. Susanna Cole.
iii. David, m. Catharine Allen.
iv. Susanna, m. Jacob Gaskill, son of Josiah and Rebecca (Lippincott) Gaskill.

* Silas Crispin was the second son of William Crispin, of the English navy, by his wife Anne, daughter of William Jasper, an English merchant of Amsterdam, and sister to Margaret, wife of Admiral Sir William Penn, and mother of William Penn of Pennsylvania. Silas Crispin married, first, Hester, daughter of Thomas Holme, Surveyor-General of Pennsylvania, by whom he had issue: Sarah, Rebecca, Mary, Eleanor, William, Hester, Thomas, and Susanna.

† Richard Ridgway, Jr., married, first, in 1702, Mary, daughter of Hope and Mary Willetts, by whom he had issue: William, Timothy, James, Richard, Mary, and Elizabeth.

v. Rebecca, m. Joseph Lamb.
vi. Abigail, m. John Fisher.
vii. Elizabeth, d. without issue.
viii. Anne, m. Kendal Cole.
ix. Mary, m. Joseph Shinn.

VIII. Richard Stockton,[3] (Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) born 1692-93. In 1744 he conveyed to his brother John all his property in Somerset County, New Jersey, and removed to Windsor Township, in Middlesex County, where he died in 1760, leaving issue:

i. John, who was probably the father of Ruth Stockton, of Middlesex County, who, in 1765, m. John Hill, of the same county.
ii. Ruth, m., in 1746, John Scott, of Princeton, and had issue.

IX. Samuel Stockton,[3] (Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, born 1694-95; died in 1739; married, first, in 1719, Amy, daughter of Jacob Doughty. They had issue:

i. Samuel, b. in 1724, and d. in 1767, when his estate was administered by Amy Stockton.
ii. Amy.

Samuel Stockton married, secondly, Rachel ———, who died in 1771. They had issue:

i. Joseph.
ii. Richard, who had issue, among others, a daughter, Rachel.*
iii. Jacob, mentioned in his uncle Richard's will.
iv. Rachel.
v. Anne.
vi. Ruth.

X. Joseph Stockton,[3] (Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, born 1696-97; died in 1770; married Elizabeth ———. They had issue:

i Daniel.
ii. Joseph, d. without issue, in 1760.
iii. Doughty.
iv. Samuel.
v. John.
vi. Amy.
19. vii. Elizabeth, m. George Nicholson.
viii. Mary, m. ——— Anderson.
ix. Sarah, b. 1745; m. her second cousin, Richard Stockton. (No. XXIX.)

* This gentleman was no doubt identical with Major Richard V. Stockton, the Loyalist, of Princeton, who after the close of the War of Independence retired to St. John, New Brunswick. He married a Miss Hatfield, of Elizabeth, New Jersey.

XI. Robert Stockton,[3] (Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, born 1698-99; died in 1744-45; married, secondly, in 1740, Rebecca Phillips: but apparently all his children except his youngest son, who was born after his death, were by his first wife. Robert Stockton's children were:

20. i. Robert.
ii. Thomas.
iii. Job, b. in 1734, and d. without issue, in 1771. Sometime High Sheriff of Somerset County, New Jersey, and one of the judges of the Common Pleas.
iv. Susanna, m. Thomas Mershon, and had issue.
v. Eunice, m. ——— Gaw.
vi. Elizabeth.
vii. Sarah.
viii. John, b. 1745.

XII. John Stockton,[3] (Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, one of the judges of the Common Pleas for the County of Somerset, was born in 1701; died in 1757; married, in 1729, Abigail Phillips. They had issue:

21. i. Richard, m. Anice Boudinot.
22. ii. John, m. Mary Hibbits.
23. iii. Philip, b. July 11, 1746; m. Katharine Cumming.
iv. Samuel Witham, d. in 1795. Sometime Secretary of State for New Jersey.
v. Hannah, m. Hon. Elias Boudinot, LL.D
vi. Abigail, m. Captain Pintard.
vii. Susanna, m. Louis Pintard.
viii. Rebecca, m. Rev. William Tennent.

XIII. Daniel Stockton,[3] (John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Willingborough Township, Burlington County, New Jersey; born November 10, 1705; died in March, 1763; married, in July, 1728, Hannah Fisher, who was born April 14, 1710, and died June 8, 1797. They had issue:

i. Ann, b. April 21, 1729; m. ——— Carma.
24. ii. John, b. August 29, 1730; m. Hannah Jones.
iii. Elizabeth, b. November 26, 1732; m. ——— Jones.
iv. Abigail, b. July 31, 1735; m. James Gaskill, son of Samuel and Theophilus (Cripps) Gaskill.
25. v. Daniel, b. September 13, 1737; m. Patience ———.
vi. Hannah, b. July 8, 1739; d. without issue.
vii. Dorothy, b. January 27, 1740; d. without issue.
viii. Richard, b. January 29, 1744.
ix. Theodosia, b. May 5, 1747; d. without issue.

26. x. Abraham, b. September 19, 1749; m. Susanna Kemble.
27. xi. William, b. October 20, 1752: m., first, Hannah Elkinton: m., secondly, Elizabeth Rodgers.

XIV. Rebecca Stockton[3] (John,[2] Richard[1]) married, in June, 1731, David Lippincott, of Upper Freehold, Monmouth County, New Jersey. They had issue:

i. David.
ii. Jonathan, m. Mary Cook. They had issue, among others, a dau., Rebecca, who m. Benjamin Shreve, of Mansfield (No. LX.)
iii. Mary.
iv. Rhoda.

XV. David Stockton,[3] (John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, died in 1763: married, in October, 1733, Ruth Lippincott. They had issue:

28. i. David, b. 1740; m. Elizabeth Ireton.
ii. Benjamin, b. 1751; d. 1787.
iii. Mary.
iv. Sarah, m., in January, 1761, William Davis.
v. Hannah, m., in March, 1762, James Ireton.
vi. Ruth.
vii. Abigail.

XVI. Mary Stockton[3] (John,[2] Richard[1]) married, in 1735, Christopher Wetherill, of Burlington, born December 24, 1710: died in 1786. They had issue:

i. Samuel, b. April 12, 1736; d. September 24, 1816; m., April 8, 1762, Sarah Yarnall.
ii. Joseph, b. July 10, 1740; d. 1820; m., May 10, 1762, Anne Canby.
iii. Mary Anne, b. September 8, 1742: d. young.
iv. John, b. July 15, 1746; d. young.
v. Anna, b. May 18, 1750; d. unm.
vi. Isaac, b. February, 1753; d. August, 1821; m., May 16, 1776, Rebecca Decon.
vii. Sarah, b. January 19, 1755: d. January 12, 1820

XVII. Joseph Stockton,[3] (Job,[2] Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, died in 1741; married, in 1730, Mary, daughter of Samuel Farnsworth. They had issue:

i. Job, m., in 1757, Anne Munrow.
29. ii. Richard, b. 1739; m. Sarah Stockton.
iii. Anna.
iv. Susanna.

XVIII. William Stockton,[3] (Job,[2] Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, died in 1781: married Mary, daughter of Benjamin Brian. They had issue:

30. i. William, m. Mary Naglee.
ii. Benjamin, m., in November, 1779, Hannah Cowperthwait.
31. iii. Samuel, m. Ann Wood.
iv. Richard, of Philadelphia, m. Sarah ———.
v. Sarah, d. unm.
vi. Mary, d. unm.

XIX. Elizabeth Stockton[1] (Joseph,[3] Richard,[2] Richard[1]) married George Nicholson. They had issue:*

i. Daniel.
ii. Samuel.
iii. John.
iv. Jacob.
v. Joseph.
vi. Doughty.
vii. Elsie.
viii. Hannah.

XX. Major Robert Stockton,[1] (Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, a quartermaster in the Revolutionary army, died April 24, 1805, leaving issue:

i. Ebenezer.
ii. Job.
iii. James.
32. iv. Elizabeth, m. Rev. Ashbel Green, D.D.
v. Nancy, m. ——— James.
vi. Mary, m. Thomas P. Johnson.

XXI. Hon. Richard Stockton,[1] (John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and sometime judge of the Supreme Court and a member of the King's Council for New Jersey: died in 1781, æt. 51 years, having married Anice, sister to the Hon. Elias Boudinot, LL.D. They had issue:

33. i. Richard, m. Mary Field.
ii. Lucius Horatio, of Trenton, New Jersey, whose dau. Sarah m. Rev. William J. Armstrong, D.D.
iii. Julia, m. Hon. Benjamin Rush, of Philadelphia, M.D., one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.
iv. Susan, m. Alexander Cuthbert, of Canada.
v. Mary, m. Rev. Andrew Hunter, D.D.
vi. Abigial, m. Robert Field, of Burlington County, New Jersey.

*Some of their children emigrated to North Carolina.

XXII. John Stockton[4] (John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard[1]) married Mary Hibbits, widow of James Nelson, of Bethel, near Easton, Pennsylvania, but was drowned by the upsetting of a yawl shortly afterwards, while visiting his relatives at Princeton. One month after his death his wife gave birth to twins:

i. Mary, m. John Nye.
ii. Elizabeth, m. Abner Long.*

XXIII. Rev. Philip Stockton,[4] (John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, born July 11, 1746; died January 12, 1792; married, April 13, 1769, Katharine, sister to General John M. Cumming. They had issue:

i. John, removed to Hamilton Co., Ohio, where he d., leaving issue.
34. ii. Lucius Witham, m. Eliza Augusta Coxe.
iii. Elias Boudinot, d. without issue.
iv. William Tennent, of Newark, New Jersey; m. ——Williamson, and had issue.
35. v. Richard C., m. ——, dau. of Colonel John Hughes.
vi. Susanna.
vii. Maria.

XXIV. John Stockton,[4] (Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Willingborough Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, born August 29, 1730; died in December, 1763; married, in February, 1750, Hannah Jones. They had issue:

i. Hannah, b. November 3, 1751; m. Philip Ackerman.
ii. Mary, b. October 30, 1753.
36. iii. John, b. February 26, 1756; m. Mary Gardiner.
iv. Rhoda, b. May 15, 1758; m. Abraham Kinsey.
v. Sarah, b. July 13, 1760; m. Benjamin Naylor.
37. vi. Samuel, b. December 6, 1762; m. Hannah Gardiner.

XXV. Daniel Stockton,[4] (Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Willingborough Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, born September 13, 1737; died October 31, 1780; married Patience ——, who survived him. They had issue:

i. Daniel, b. September 25, 1758.
38. ii. Dorothy, b. April 4, 1760; m. William Bellangee.
iii. Job, b. January 8, 1762.
iv. Mary, b. March 6, 1764.
v. John, b. February 7, 1766.
vi. Elizabeth, b. November 27, 1767.

* Her grandson, Leon J. Long, Esq., of Alleghany, Pa., is at present deputy clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

39. vii. Patience, b. August 3, 1770; m. Andrew Anderson.
viii. Hannah, b. March 6, 1772.
ix. Miriam, b. May 9, 1774.
x. Abigail, b. August 6, 1776.

XXVI. Abraham Stockton,[4] (Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Burlington, born September 19, 1749; died November 9, 1827; married Susanna Kimble, born March 17, 1757, and died November 24, 1843. They had issue:

i. Rachel, b. April 14, 1775; m. Joseph Miller, of Burlington.
ii. Charles, b. March 12, 1777; m. Martha Hall.
iii. Sarah, b. September 22, 1779; d. young.
iv. Hannah, b. December 16, 1781; m. John Antrim, of Burlington.
v. Betsey, b. February 10, 1784; d. young.
vi. Harriet, b. May 20, 1786; m. Joseph Stokes, of Rancocas.
vii. Julian, b. November 29, 1788; d. young.
viii. Franklin, b. May 14, 1790; d. without issue, in South America, October 2, 1829.
ix. Abraham, Jr., b. December 9, 1792; d. October 4, 1827; m. Rachel Wills, of Rancocas.
x. Caroline, b. March 3, 1795; m. Samuel Rush.
xi. Maria, b. November 5, 1796; d. young.
xii. Mary Ann, b. October 27, 1797; m., October 14, 1819; Daniel Trimble Jenks, who d. at Washington, D. C., June 1, 1860. They had issue.
xiii. Robert, b. November 13, 1798; removed to Kentucky.

XXVII. William Stockton,[4] (Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Burlington, New Jersey, born October 20, 1752; died February 2, 1815; married, first, September, 1775, Hannah Elkinton, born October 26, 1756, and died October 10, 1785. They had issue:

i. Sarah, b. October 15, 1776; d. September 19, 1778.
ii. Ann, b. February 10, 1779.
iii. George, b. April 15, 1782.
40. iv. William, b. October 3, 1785; m. Ann Boozer.

William Stockton married, secondly, Elizabeth Rodgers, by whom he had issue:

41. i. John, b. May 5, 1790; m. Rebecca Courson.
42. ii. Charles, b. March 10, 1792; m. Eliza Murray Wharton.
iii. Mahlon, b. May 29, 1794; d. young.
iv. Mary, b. July 24, 1797; d. October 10, 1814.

XXVIII. David Stockton,[4] (David,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, born in

1740; died in 1787; married, in March, 1761, Elizabeth Ireton, by whom he had issue:

i. David Davidson.
ii. Ruth.
iii. Mary.
iv. Obadiah, of Burlington County, New Jersey, d. December, 1801; m., at the Second Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, February 2, 1797, Elizabeth H. Garrigues.
43. v. Job, b. 1766; m. Ann Ridgway.
vi. Mercy, m. John Horner, and had issue.*
vii. Hannah.
viii. Samuel.
ix. Joseph, b. 1776.
x. Elizabeth.

XXIX. Richard Stockton,[4] (Joseph,[3] Job,[2] Richard,[1]) born in 1739; removed to Ohio; died in 1814; married, in January, 1768, Sarah, daughter of Joseph Stockton, of Princeton. (No. X.) She was born in 1745; died in 1813. They had issue:

i. Joseph, b. 1769.
ii. Mercy, b. 1772.
iii. Ann, b. 1773.
iv. Elizabeth, b. 1776.
v. Israel, b. 1778.
vi. George Washington, b. 1781.
vii. Job, b. 1783.
viii. Doughty, b. 1785.

XXX. William Stockton[4] (William,[3] Job,[2] Richard[1]) married, at Christ Church, Philadelphia, November 25, 1775, Mary Naglee, by whom he had issue:

i. Mary, m. Thomas Inskeep
ii. Elizabeth, m. Jacob Lippincott.
iii. William, m. Abigail Hollingshead.
iv. Margaret, m. Micajah, son of Jacob and Mary Wills.

XXXI. Samuel Stockton,[4] (William,[3] Job,[2] Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, died in 1817; married, at the Second Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, February 18, 1784, Ann, daughter of William Wood, and sister to George Wood, a prominent member of the New York bar. She was born in 1760; died in 1817. They had issue:

* One of her grandsons is Dr. C. W. Horner, of Philadelphia.

44. i. William W., m., first, Anna Lippincott; m., secondly, Sarah Butterworth.
ii. Richard H. C., d. without issue.
45. iii. Thomas J., m. Patience Rambo.
iv. Samuel O., d. without issue.
v. Benjamin F., m. Elizabeth Gilbert, by whom he had issue an only child, Annie.
vi. Hannah C., m. Thomas Owen, and had issue.
vii. Susan, m. David Whital.
viii. Mary, m. Benjamin Zelly, and had issue.
ix. Elizabeth S., m. Stephen Woolston, and had issue.*
x. Deborah, m. Samuel Cooper.
xi. Margaret S., m. Peter Rambo.
xii. Edith B., m. Townsend Scott, of Baltimore, Md., and had issue.
xiii. Ann, m. David Whital, and had issue.
xiv. Jane, m. James Jewett, and had issue

XXXII. Elizabeth Stockton[5] (Robert,[1] Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard[1]) married Rev. Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D., sometime president of the College of New Jersey, who was born at Hanover, New Jersey, July 6, 1762, and died at Philadelphia, May 19, 1848. They had issue:

i. Robert Stockton, of Philadelphia; d. without issue, September 28, 1813, aged 26 years.
46. ii. Jacob, m. Ann Eliza McCulloh.
47. iii. James Sproat, b. 1792; m. Isabella Williamson McCulloh.

XXXIII. Hon. Richard Stockton,[5] (Richard,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, represented New Jersey in the Senate of the United States from 1796 to 1799, and was a member of the House of Representatives from 1813 to 1815. He married Mary Field, of Burlington County, New Jersey. They had issue:

i. Richard, one of the judges of the Supreme Court, and afterwards Attorney-General of the State of Mississippi.
48. ii. Robert Field, m. Harriet Maria Potter.
iii. William Bradford, d. without issue.
49. iv. Samuel Witham, m. Mary Hunter.
v. Annis, m. Hon. John R. Thomson.
vi. Mary, m. William Harrison.
vii. Julia, m. John Rhinelander.
viii. Caroline, m. William Rotch.

* Their youngest child, Susan S. Woolston, married Wallace H. Lippincott, Esq., by whom she had issue: Samuel W., Wallace H., and Frank, all of Baltimore, Md.

XXXIV. Lucius Witham Stockton,[5] (Philip,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Flemington, New Jersey, clerk of the County of Hunterdon; born May 26, 1771; married, August 18, 1775, Eliza Augusta, daughter of Charles Coxe, of Sidney, New Jersey. They had issue:

i. Charles Coxe, removed to Kentucky and d. young.
50. ii. Lucius Witham, m., first, Rebecca Moore; m., secondly, Katharine Stockton.
51. iii Philip Augustus, m., first, Sarah Cantey; m., secondly, Mary Remington.
52. iv. Rebecca Augusta, m. Major Richard Lewis Howell.

XXXV. Richard C. Stockton,[5] (Philip,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Baltimore, Maryland, married a daughter of Col. John Hughes. They had issue:

i. Richard.
ii. John.
iii. Henrietta.
iv. Katharine, m. Lucius Witham Stockton, of Uniontown, Pa. (No. L.)
v. Ann, m. Samuel Austin.
vi. Ellen.
vii. Margaret, m. Rev. William W. Lord, D D.

XXXVI. John Stockton,[5] (John,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Trenton, New Jersey, born February 26, 1756; died May 8, 1832; married, in October 1777, Mary, daughter of Thomas and Susanna (Elton) Gardiner, of Burlington, New Jersey. They had issue:

i. Samuel, of New Hope.
ii. Hannah, m. John Stiles.
iii. William, d. 1821.

XXXVII. Samuel Stockton,[5] (John,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Burlington, New Jersey, born December 6, 1762; died November 4, 1847; married, first, June 10, 1784, Hannah, daughter of Thomas and Susanna (Elton) Gardiner. They had issue:

53. i. William Smith, b. April 8, 1785; m., first, Elizabeth Sophia Hewlings; m., secondly, Emily Hepsibeth Drean.
ii. Susan, b. February 22, 1787.
iii. John, b. August 8, 1788.
iv. Hannah, b. January 3, 1791; m. Thomas Armstrong.
v. Elizabeth Gardiner, b. January 24, 1792; d. June 1, 1872.

vi. Thomas, b. May 16, 1796.
vii. Mary, b. October 7, 1797; m. William Rose White, of Hulmeville, Bucks County, Pa., and had issue.
viii. Samuel Wesley, b. October 19, 1800; m., first, Sarah Myers, by whom he had issue thirteen children. He m., secondly, Mary Seely, by whom he had issue eight children.
ix. Rhoda, b. April 18, 1803; d. November 10, 1874; m. John Huff.

XXXVIII. Dorothy Stockton,[5] (Daniel,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born April 4, 1760; died October 25, 1811: married, in March, 1781, William Bellangee, of Burlington County, who afterwards removed to Swedesborough, New Jersey. They had issue:

i. John, b. December 3, 1781; m. and had issue.
ii. Sarah, b. March 16, 1784.
iii. Mary, b. December 10, 1786.
iv. Isaac, b. August 10, 1789.
v. William, b. January 11, 1792.
vi. Benjamin, b. August 18, 1794.
vii. Samuel, b. November 2, 1797.
viii. Daniel, b. May 20, 1804.

XXXIX. Patience Stockton,[5] (Daniel,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] John,[1]) born August 3, 1770; died May 31, 1839; married, in April, 1791, Andrew Anderson, of Burlington County, New Jersey, born January 1, 1770, and died January 6, 1847. They had issue:

i. Isaac.
ii. Hester.
iii. Miriam.
iv. Jacob.
v. Sarah.
vi. Hannah.
vii. Abigail.
viii. Ann.
ix. Andrew, Jr.

XL. William Stockton,[5] (William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Burlington, New Jersey; born October 3, 1785; married, November 2, 1806, Ann Boozer, by whom he had issue:

i. Christiana, b. August 28, 1807; m. Samuel Hall.
ii. Maria, b. January 20, 1809.
iii. Margaret, b. August 19, 1811.
iv. George, b. April 23, 1813.
v. Henry, b. November 4, 1814.
vi. Hannah, b. May 4, 1815.
vii. Rachel, b. October 3, 1816.
viii. Charles, b. January 10, 1820.

XLI. John Stockton,[5] (William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born May 5, 1790; married Rebecca Courson, of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, who died April 11, 1842. He died in 1827, leaving one surviving child:

54. i. John C., b. June 12, 1827; m. Eliza Hoff Lesher.

XLII. Charles Stockton,[5] (William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born March 10, 1792; died December 22, 1883; married, first, April 30, 1818, Eliza Murray, daughter of John and Margaret Wharton, of Philadelphia, who died March 12, 1837. They had issue:

i. Margaret Wharton, b. May 15, 1819; d. March 19, 1829.
55. ii. William Rodgers, b. October 30, 1820; m. Emma. T. Gross.
56. iii. Sarah Adeline, b. September 17, 1822; m. James Ross Hoopes.
iv. John Wharton, of Philadelphia, b. August 26, 1824; m., September 21, 1854, Mary, dau. of Alexander and Mary Murphy, of Philadelphia.
v. Charles, Jr., b. April 7, 1826; d. March 26, 1827.
57. vi. Frances Elizabeth, b. July 26, 1828; m. Christopher C. Wood.
58. vii. Hannah Ann, b. March 14, 1833; m. Christoper C. Wood.
59. viii. Eliza Murray, b. January 13, 1837; m. Rev. William Henry Thorne.

Charles Stockton married, secondly, in October, 1843, Mary Hitner, widow of ——— Dager, of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

XLIII. Job Stockton,[5] (David,[4] David,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, born in 1766; died in 1828; married Ann, daughter of Henry Ridgway, son of Solomon, son of Job, son of Richard, by his wife Abigail Stockton. (No. V.) They had issue:

i. Lydia, m. David Stockton.
ii. Rebecca, m. Charles H. White, of Philadelphia.
iii. Sarah, m. David Newbold.
60. iv. Mary Ridgway, m. Samuel Shreve.
v. Elizabeth, m. Louis Walton, of Philadelphia.
vi. David Ridgway, d. without issue.

XLIV. William W. Stockton,[5] (Samuel,[4] William,[3] Job,[2] Richard,[1]) married, first, Anna Lippincott, by whom he had issue:

i. Samuel, m. Caroline Jones, and had issue.
ii. Benjamin.

William W. Stockton married, secondly, Sarah Butterworth, by whom he had issue:

i. John B., of Lamberton, New Jersey; m. and had issue.
ii. Ann Eliza.
iii. Susan Isabel.

XLV. Thomas J. Stockton[5] (Samuel,[4] William,[3] Job,[2] Richard[1]) married Patience Rambo. They had issue:

i. John, d. without issue.
ii. Richard.
iii. Mary, m. Mahlon T. Moon.
iv. Robert, d. without issue.

XLVI. Jacob Green,[6] (Elizabeth,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) professor of chemistry in Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia; died February 1, 1842; married Ann Eliza McCulloh. They had issue:

i. Elizabeth Stockton, m. Rev. Donald McLaren, chaplain in the United States navy. They had issue:
 1. Anna Green.
 2. Elizabeth Stockton, m. Edwin Simons.
 3. Rev. Donald, Jr.
 4. William S.
 5. Malcolm.
 6. Alice.
 7. Isabella Williamson.
ii. Isabella Williamson, m. Rev. S. Bayard Dod. They had issue:
 1. Isabel.
 2. Caroline Bayard.
 3. Albert B.

XLVII. James Sproat Green,[6] (Elizabeth,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) United States District Attorney under five Presidents, and professor of law in the College of New Jersey, died November 8, 1862, aged 70 years; married Isabella Williamson McCulloh. They had issue:

61. i. Ashbel, m. Louisa Walker.
ii. Anna, m. William Lawrence Maclin. They had issue:
 1. Isabella Green.
 2. Henrietta Julia.
 3. Henry.
62. iii. James Sproat, M. D.; m. Fanny Winchester.
63. iv. Robert Stockton, Governor of New Jersey; m. Mary E. Mulligan.

XLVIII. Hon. Robert Field Stockton,[6] (Richard,[5] Richard,[4]

John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, sometime a commodore in the navy, and one of the Senators of the United States for New Jersey; died in 1866; married Harriet Maria, daughter of John Potter. They had issue:

i. Richard.
ii. John Potter.
iii. Robert Field.
iv. Caroline Elizabeth, m. Rev. William A. Dod, D.D.
v. Mary, m. Admiral John C. Howell, son of Major Richard Lewis Howell, by his wife, Rebecca Augusta Stockton. (No. LII.)
vi. Harriet Maria.
vii. Julia, m. Edward M. Hopkins.
viii. Caroline, m. Captain William Rawle Brown, U. S N.
ix. Annis, m. Franklin Davenport Howell, son of Major Richard Lewis Howell, by his wife, Rebecca Augusta Stockton. (No. LII.)

XLIX. Samuel Witham Stockton,[6] (Richard,[5] Richard,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Princeton, New Jersey, lieutenant in the United States navy, married Mary, daughter of the Rev. Andrew Hunter, D.D. They had issue:

i. Samuel Witham, of Princeton.*
ii. Mary, m. Rev. C. Wistar Hodge.

L. Lucius Witham Stockton,[6] (Lucius Witham,[5] Philip,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Uniontown, Fayette County, Pennsylvania; born September 1, 1799; died April 25, 1844; married, first, November 24, 1824, Rebecca Moore. They had issue:

i. Richard C.
ii. Daniel Moore.
iii. Lucius Witham.
iv. Margaret Moore, m. Dr. Thomas McKennan.
v. Elizabeth C., d. young.
vi. Rebecca Moore, m. Captain Alexander Wishart, U. S. A.

Lucius Witham Stockton married, secondly, August 15, 1837, Katharine, daughter of Richard C. Stockton, of Baltimore. (No. XXXV.) They had issue:

i. Richard C.
ii. James Hughes.
iii. Elias Boudinot.
iv. Maria, m. Gen. Charles L. Leiper.

* Occupies "Morven," the family seat of his great-grandfather, Richard Stockton the Signer.

LI. Philip Augustus,[6] (Lucius Witham,[5] Philip,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Newport, Rhode Island; born November 6, 1802; a lieutenant in the navy, and sometime United States Consul-General for Saxony; died May 30, 1876; married, first, Sarah Cantey. They had issue:

i. Philip Augustus.
ii. Edward Cantey.

Philip Augustus Stockton married, secondly, in 1840, Mary Remington. They had issue:

i. Howard, of Boston, Mass.

LII. Rebecca Augusta Stockton[6] (Lucius Witham,[5] Philip,[4] John,[3] Richard,[2] Richard[1]) married Major Richard Lewis Howell, son of Major R. L. Howell, of the Revolutionary army, sometime Governor of the State of New Jersey. They had issue:

i. John C., Admiral U. S. N.; m. Mary, dau. of Commodore Stockton. (No. XLVIII.)
ii. Andrew Allen.
iii. Richard S.
iv. Franklin Davenport, m. Annis, dau. of Commodore Stockton. (No. XLVIII.)
v. Elizabeth, m. Colonel William B. Royall, U S A.
vi. Augusta, m. John W. Williams.

LIII. William Smith Stockton,[6] (Samuel,[5] John,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) sometime of Philadelphia; born April 8, 1785; died at Burlington, New Jersey, November 20, 1860; married, first, April 8, 1807, Elizabeth Sophia Hewlings. They had issue:

64. i. Thomas Hewlings, b. June 4, 1808; m. Anna Roe McCurdy.
ii. Emily Louisa, b. September 17, 1810; d. August 26, 1870; m., November 15, 1837, Rufus Bicknell, M.D., of West Philadelphia.
iii. Hannah, b. July 7, 1812; d. July 7, 1812.
iv. Samuel, b. May 14, 1813; d. October 9, 1813.
v. Francis Asbury, b. January 1, 1815; d. August 25, 1815.
vi. Elizabeth Hewlings, b. September 21, 1817; d. January 3, 1856; m. Moses Fort Thomas Evans, M.D., of Amelia County, Virgina.

William Smith Stockton married, secondly, in 1828, Emily Hepsibeth, daughter of John Drean, of Leesburg, Virginia. She died in 1881. They had issue:

i. William S., b. 1830; d. young.
ii. Samuel, b. 1832; d. young.

iii. Francis Richard, of New York City, b. 1834; m., 1860, Marian Edwards Tuttle, of Amelia County, Va.
iv. John Drean, b. 1836; d. without issue in 1877.
v. Marie Louise, b. 1838.
vi. William Snethen, b. 1840.
vii. Mary Murray, b. 1842.
65. viii. Paul, b. 1844; m. Frances A. Beck.
ix. Anna Virginia, b. 1846: d. young.

LIV. John C. Stockton,[6] (John,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Hammonton, New Jersey, born June 12, 1837; married, January 13, 1852, Eliza Hoff Lesher. They have issue:

i. Anna Hoff, b. April 16, 1853.
ii. Henry Lesher, b. January 12, 1857.
iii. Laura Rebecca, b. November 25, 1865.

LV. Rev. William Rodgers Stockton,[6] (Charles,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) rector of St. Peter's Church, Phœnixville, Pennsylvania, was graduated at the Divinity School in Philadelphia, and served as a chaplain during the late war. He was born October 30, 1820, and married, at Philadelphia, March 3, 1843, Emma T., daughter of Gottlieb Frederick Gross, of that city. They have issue:

i. Herbert, deceased.
ii. Walter, deceased.
66. iii. Charles Herbert, m., first, Cornelia A. Carter; m., secondly, Pauline Lentilhorn King.
iv. Laura, m., September 23, 1869, Henry Clay Meredith, M.D., of Chester County, Pennsylvania.
v. Margaret Atmore.
vi. Emma.
vii. Eliza Marian.
viii. Sallie Hollingsworth, m., December 1, 1880, Frederick Samuel Guerber, C. E., of New York. They have one child, Roger Samuel, b. August 24, 1885.
ix. Hannah Louise, m., October 8, 1884, N. Martin Emory, of Philadelphia, who d. September 26, 1886.
x. William Bowman, of Phœnixville.
xi. Lewis, of Buffalo, New York.
xii. David Reeves, of Phœnixville.
xiii. Mary Dora.

LVI. Sarah Adeline Stockton,[6] (Charles,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born September 17, 1822; married, June 4, 1844, James Ross Hoopes, of Philadelphia. They have issue:

i. Ida Stockton, b. April 16, 1847; d. August 1, 1848.
ii. Ella Josephine, b. November 15, 1849; m., September 12, 1871, George Duffield McIlvaine, of Gap, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. They have issue:
1. Wharton Stockton, b. October 24, 1873.
2. George Duffield, Jr., b. November 5, 1878; d. December 1, 1882.
iii. Fanny Wood, b. January 13, 1852; d. March 11, 1854.
iv. Francis Wilkinson, b. March 19, 1858.
v. Charles Stockton (twin), b. March 19, 1858.

LVII. Frances Elizabeth Stockton,[6] (Charles,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born July 26, 1828; died November 15, 1853; married Christopher C. Wood, of New York State. They had issue:

i. Wharton Stockton, b. August 10, 1853; m., December 10, 1880, Mary, dau. of William and Magdalen Davis, of Philadelphia.

LVIII. Hannah Ann Stockton,[6] (Charles,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born March 14, 1833; married, October 9, 1856, Christopher C. Wood, of Philadelphia. They had issue:

i. Herbert Warren, b. December 29, 1858; d. July 29, 1886.
ii. Mary Stockton, b. October 11, 1861; d. July 9, 1861.
iii. William Stroud, b. April 5, 1866.
iv. Adeline Hoopes, b. April 26, 1868.

LIX. Eliza Murray Stockton,[6] (Charles,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) born January 13, 1837; married, September 6, 1864, Rev. William Henry Thorne, of Philadelphia, formerly of Stoke, Somersetshire, England. They have issue:

i. Mary King, b. July 18, 1865.
ii. Charles Stockton, b. July 5, 1867.
iii. James Garretson, b. September 2, 1868; d. January 20, 1880.
iv. Lillie Stockton, b. March 3, 1870.
v. Anna Buzby, b. August 31, 1873.
vi. Carrie Warner, b. September 4, 1875.
vii. Alfred Edward, b. March 14, 1877; d. April 16, 1877.
viii. William Edward, b. June 5, 1879; d. February 16, 1868.

LX. Mary Ridgway Stockton[6] (Job,[5] David,[4] David,[3] John,[2] Richard[1]) married Samuel Shreve, of Mansfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, son of Benjamin Shreve, of the same place, by his wife Rebecca, daughter of Jonathan Lippincott, son of David Lippincott, by his wife Rebecca Stock-

ton. (No. XIV.) Samuel and Mary Ridgway (Stockton) Shreve had issue:

i. Caleb, m. and had issue.
ii. Mary.
iii. Benjamin, m. and had issue.
iv. Elisha, m. and had issue.
v. Ann.
vi. Jonathan Lippincott, d. without issue.
vii. Rebecca, d. unm.
viii. Phebe.
ix. Samuel, of New York City; d. in November, 1884, leaving issue.
x. Grace, m. John Stockton Lippincott.

LXI. Ashbel Green,[7] (James Sproat,[6] Elizabeth,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) a member of the New York bar, married Louisa Walker. They had issue:

i. William Walker.
ii. Louisa, m. William Gullirad.
iii. Sarah McCulloh, m. Thomas Thacher.
iv. Elizabeth Stockton.
v. Caroline Walker.
vi. Arabella.
vii. Ashbel, Jr.

LXII. James Sproat Green, M. D.,[7] (James Sproat,[6] Elizabeth,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) of Elizabeth, New Jersey, married Fanny Winchester. They have issue:

i. Fanny Winchester, m. William T. Day.
ii. James Sproat, Jr.

LXIII. Robert Stockton Green,[7] (James Sproat,[6] Elizabeth,[5] Robert,[4] Robert,[3] Richard,[2] Richard,[1]) Governor of the State of New Jersey, married Mary E. Mulligan. They have issue:

i. Katharine.
ii. Isabella Williamson.
iii. Robert Stockton, Jr.
iv. Caroline Seward.

LXIV. Rev. Thomas Hewlings Stockton,[7] (William Smith,[6] Samuel,[5] John,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) sometime chaplain to Congress; born June 4, 1808; died October 9, 1868; married, February 6, 1828, Anna Roe McCurdy. They had issue:

i. Elizabeth Sophia, b. September 10, 1830; m. John Pollard Harrison.
ii. Martha M., b. September 20, 1832: d. April 3, 1833.

iii. M. Matilda, b. August 6, 1834; d. July 16, 1869.
iv. Anna M., b. January 11, 1836; m., June 1, 1870, George Wooley Allen, of Philadelphia.
v. Mary Owings, b. July 16, 1837; m., June 18, 1867, Rev. Dudley Chase, son of the Right Rev. Bishop Chase.
vi. Thomas Hewlings, b. May 26, 1839; m., first, March 14, 1867, Catharine Stidham; m., secondly, May 26, 1875, Lucy Ferris.
vii. John McCurdy, b. March 6, 1841; d. April 6, 1869.
viii. Emily J., b. November 9, 1842; d. April 26, 1872.
ix. William Samuel, b. January 10, 1844; d. January 15, 1861.
x. Edwin, b. June 15, 1846; d. July 4, 1849.
xi. Jessie Roe (twin), b. June 15, 1846; d. November 12, 1859.

LXV. Paul Stockton,[7] (William Smith,[6] Samuel,[5] John,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) of Philadelphia, born 1844: married Frances A. Beck, of Philadelphia. They have issue:

i. Emily Drean.
ii. Louise.
iii. Paul, Jr.
iv. Helen Cracroft.
v. Jean, d. young.
vi. Marian.
vii. Ruth Elizabeth.

LXVI. Charles Herbert Stockton,[7] (William Rodgers,[6] Charles,[5] William,[4] Daniel,[3] John,[2] Richard,[1]) Lieutenant Commander United States Navy; married, first, June 23, 1875, Cornelia A., daughter of the Rev. A. B. Carter, D.D., of New York. She died July 1, 1876. They had issue:

i. Cornelia Carter, b. June 30, 1876.

Charles Herbert Stockton married, secondly, November 21, 1880, Pauline Lentilhorn, daughter of Peter V. King, of New York. They have issue:

i. Herbert King, b. September 15, 1882.
ii. Helen, b. December 29, 1886.

APPENDIX VIII.

THE VIRGINIA STOCKTONS.*

A FAMILY of Stocktons not in any way connected with the New Jersey family of the same name resided in Virginia during the early part of the last century, when three of its members, Richard, Robert, and Thomas Stockton, were living in the provinces. These gentlemen were no doubt very nearly related; indeed it seems almost certain that Robert and Thomas, who at one time lived in the same county, were brothers.

I. RICHARD STOCKTON, of the Parish of St. Annes, Albemarle County, Virginia, obtained a grant of 400 acres in the County of Goochland, in 1745, and subsequently other grants in Albemarle County, where he died in 1775, his will being proved in October of that year. He had issue; †

i. THOMAS, d. in 1783; m. Rachel ———, by whom he had issue.
ii. JOHN.
iii. ROBERT.
iv. DAVID.
v. RICHARD.

II. ROBERT STOCKTON was one of the original settlers at Shepherdstown, on the Potomac, in 1734, but removed to what is now Berkeley County, West Virginia, where he died in 1778, having married Mrs. Fleming, née Keith. They had issue, among others: ‡

i. GEORGE, b. 1742, who, with his sister Isabella, was carried away from his father's house by the Indians on their return from the massacre of the settlers at Meeley's Fort, about 9 miles from

* From researches made by the compiler and information obtained from a member of the family.

† An account of the estate of David Stockton, deceased, was filed in 1762. (Albemarle County Records.)

‡ The Hon. Robert J Faulkner, in an historical address read before the University of West Virginia, in June, 1879, states that the father of George and Isabella was William Stockton. But that is evidently incorrect. It should be Robert Stockton.

Shepherdstown. This occurred on the morning of September 17, 1746, and he remained in captivity for about three years, when he succeeded in making his escape and returning to his parents. He afterwards m. a Miss Dorsey, of Maryland, and in 1776 removed, with his half-brother, Colonel John Fleming, to Fleming County, Kentucky, where he d. April 9, 1819.

ii. Isabella, b. 1746, was captured at the same time as her brother, and after a captivity of one month sold to a Canadian trader, who took her to his home in Montreal, where she was carefully educated. She was eventually restored to her parents, and afterwards m. Colonel Wm. McCleery.

III. Thomas Stockton,[1] of Berkeley County, West Virginia, born about 1709, was supposed to have been identical with Thomas son of Richard and Susanna Stockton, of Stony Brook (now Princeton), New Jersey,* until investigation led to the discovery that that gentleman was born in the year 1703, and that he (Thomas of Berkeley County) was related to the other Stocktons living in that locality, who were not in any way connected with the New Jersey family. About the year 1770 Thomas Stockton removed to Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, where his son Robert was already settled, and took up his residence with his daughter, Elizabeth Waddell, removing with her to Mercersburg, Pennsylvania, where he died, May 31, 1795, "a very old man, aged over 86 years." He was an elder of the Presbyterian Church, and had issue:

i. Thomas, removed to Kentucky.

ii. John, removed to North Carolina.

4. iii. David.

5. iv. Robert, b. October 9, 1737; m. Mary McKemie.

v. Elizabeth, b. 1739; m., August 27, 1770, William Waddell, b. 1744, d. 1830. He was brother to the Rev. James Waddell, the celebrated blind preacher of Virginia. Their son was General Thomas Waddell, who served in the famous Whiskey Rebellion of 1794 and the War of 1812.

vi. Isabella, m. ——— Neilson.

vii. Mary, m. ——— Badd.

viii. Margaret, m. ——— Johnson.

IV. David Stockton,[2] (Thomas,[1]) sometime of York, Pennsylvania, but afterwards of Chillicothe, Ohio, had issue:

i. Caleb, m. Jennie Campbell.

ii. David.

iii. George, whose grandson, Dr. George Stockton, is now assistant

* See *Appendix VII*, No. II.

physician at the Columbus Asylum for the Insane, Columbus, Ohio.

iv. Robert, served with distinction in the War of 1812; d. in Mississippi.

v. Samuel, served with distinction in the War of 1812.

vi. William A., of Memphis, Tenn.

vii. John, of Mount Clemens, Mich., colonel in the War of 1812.

6. viii. Margaret, b. November 15, 1783; m. John McDougal.

ix. Ann, m. William Creighton.

x. [A daughter], m. ——— Witherow.

xi. [A daughter], m ——— Campbell.

V. Robert Stockton,[2] (Thomas,[1]) born October 19, 1737, and settled at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, some time prior to May 9, 1767, when he purchased a farm at that place. He was an elder of the Presbyterian Church; served in the Revolutionary War; was at the battles of Princeton and Monmouth, and in 1784 removed to Washington, Washington County, Pennsylvania, where he died in 1821, having married, December 22, 1761, Mary McKemie, who died in 1818. They had issue:

i. Thomas, father of the Rev. John Stockton, of Cross Creek, Pa., who d. in 1882, leaving issue.

ii. Margaret, m. Col. John Cotton, of Meadville, Pa.

iii. Frances, m. Charles Stewart.

7. iv. Robert.

v. Jane, m. Rev. John Brice.

vi. John.

8. vii. Rev. Joseph, b. February 25, 1779; m. Esther Clark.

viii. Elizabeth, m. Rev. John Cunningham, of Ohio.

VI. Margaret Stockton,[3] (David,[2] Thomas,[1]) born November 15, 1783; married, November 12, 1799, John McDougal, of Chillicothe, Ohio, born May 18, 1777. They had issue:

i. William, of San Diego, Cal., b. April 19, 1802.

ii. Charles, b. September 21, 1804; d. July 25, 1886; Brevet Brigadier-General in the United States Army, and the oldest surgeon in the service; served in the Blackhawk War, the Florida War, and during the late Civil War, when he had charge of all the hospitals of the Department of the South.

iii. Georgiana, m. Dr. Livingston Dunlap, of Indianapolis.

iv. David Stockton, Rear Admiral in the United States Navy, b. September 27, 1809; d. August 7, 1882, leaving issue.

v. Susan, m. William Morrison, of Indianapolis.

vi. John, second Governor of the State of California.

vii. George.

VII. Colonel Robert Stockton,[3] (Robert,[2] Thomas,[1]) of Meadville, Pennsylvania, an elder of the Presbyterian Church at that place, had issue:

i. Edward, m. Emily Thornton, of Philadelphia, and removed to California, where they both died. They had several children, who lived for a time with John Stockton, at Altoona, Pa., but finally went to Philadelphia.

ii. Henrietta, m., February 22, 1842, John Cooper, who went to Kentucky.

VIII. Rev. Joseph Stockton,[3] (Robert,[2] Thomas,[1]) of Alleghany, Pennsylvania; born February 25, 1779: educated at Jefferson College, Cannonsburg, where he was graduated M.A., and afterwards studied theology under John M'Millan, D.D., a Presbyterian clergyman. He became a licentiate in 1799; was ordained in 1801, and appointed first pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Meadville, where he resided for nine years, during which time he had charge of the Academy, which still continues a thriving institution. In 1809 he was appointed principal of the Pittsburg Academy, which afterwards became the Western University, and held the position for eleven years. His ministerial services were devoted from his first establishment at Pittsburg to the soldiers at the garrison, to the building of a church at Alleghany, and supplying the infant congregation at Pine Creek, until 1820, when he for the next nine years devoted himself to the Alleghany and Pine Creek congregations. October 29, 1832, while visiting at Baltimore, Maryland, he died, and was buried in the burial-yard of the First Church at that place. He married, May 8, 1800, Esther, daughter of David Clark, by whom he had issue:

i. David Clark, d. without issue.

ii. Robert Clark, whose children have settled in Chicago, Ill.

iii. Addison William Clark; d. without issue.

iv. Eliza, m. Sylvanus Lothrop, of Massachusetts, afterwards of Pittsburg, and had issue.

v. Mary, m. James Schoonnaker, of Long Island, afterwards of Pittsburg.

vi. Hetty, m. Thomas B. Updike, of Rhode Island, afterwards of Pittsburg.

APPENDIX IX.

RICHARD STOCKTON'S WILL.

Last Will of Richard Stockton the 1st :

In the name of God, Amen :

I, Richard Stockton, being sick and weak of body but sound of memory, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in mannerand for me following :

First, I bequeath my soule into the hands of Almighty God and my body to be buried at the discretion of my executors hereafter named, in hopes through the merrits of Jesus Christ to obtain a joyfull resurrection.

Item, I give to my son Richard after the decease of my wife four hundred ackers of land to him and to his heires and assignes forever.

Item, I give to my son Job my plantation and all the improvements with four hundred ackers of land to him and to his heires and assignes forever, not to possess it till the decease of my wife ; only in consideration of the said improvements my said son Job shall pay to Abigall the daughter of my son Richard Ridgeway the sum of ten pounds within a year after he enjoys the said plantation, and if uppon a re-survey of the whole twelve hundred ackers there happen to be any overplus, my will is that my son John shall have one third part thereof joyning on his four hundred aeres which I formerly gave him, and the other two thirds to be equally parted between my said sons Richard and Job.

Item, I give to my dear wife Abigall all my personall estate with the use of my plantation during her life, and after her decease the said personall estate to be equally divided between my five daughters, Abigall, Mary, Sarah, Hannah, and Elizabeth ; and I do make and Constitute my said wife Abigall my sole Executrix of this my last will and testament, revokeing all other wills and testaments

heretofor made, as witness my hand and seale this 25th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and five.

RICHARD STOCKTON (R) his mark. { SEAL }

Signed, sealed, published and declared in the presence of us. }

WILLIAM EARLE (WE) his mark.
THOMAS RIDGEWAY (T) his mark.
DANIEL LEEDS.

BURLINGTON, 10th, 8 mo: 1707.

Then appeared before Richard Inglesby, Esqr., Lieutenant Governor of her Majesties Provinces of New Jersey, New York, &c., Daniel Leeds, Esqr., one of the witnesses to the within written will, and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he saw the Testator sign, seal, and publish the within instrument to be his last will and testament, and that at the time of the publishing thereof he was of sound and perfect understanding and memory to the best of his deponent's knowledge and beliefe, and that at the same time he saw Thomas Ridgeway and Wm. Earle sign the same as witnesses thereto in the presence of the Testator.

(Signed) RICHARD INGLESBY.

[Burlington County Files, Box 3.]

APPENDIX X.

WILL OF JOHN STOCKTON OF SPRINGFIELD.

In the name of God, Amen: I John Stockton of Springfield, in the County of Burlington and Western Division of the Province of New Jersey, yeoman, this thirty-first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty-five, being at the writing thereof in Bodily health and of Sound and disposing mind and memory, blessed be God for the same; calling to mind the mortality of my Body and that it is Appointed for all men once to dye, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament: Principally and first of all to the Lord my spirit I do recommend, and to the Earth my Body I do committ, to be therein Decently Interred at the Descretion of my Executors hereinafter named, and doubting not but at the General resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty Power of God; and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath Pleased God to Bless me, I do give, Demise and dispose of the same in the following manner: Imprimus, I will that all my Just Debts and the Charges of my funeral be well and truly contented and Paid by my Executors out of my personal Estate. Item, I give to my two sons Daniel Stockton and David Stockton, them their Heirs and assigns forever, I do give and bequeath the tract of Land whereon I and they now Dwell, to be Equally as to Quantity divided between them in such manner as that the Houses & other Improvements by each of them made may be included in Each one's Share of my sd Land, and the house wherein I now Dwell included in the share of my son David Stockton. Item, to my said sons Daniel and David I do give the two and thirtieth part of a propriety right in West Jersey, to them their heirs and assigns forever, to be between them Equally divided. Item, to my said two sons Daniel and David, their heirs and assigns forever, I do give and bequeath all and Every other parcel or parcels of Land which may by completion of any matters as yet undecided hereafter become my right and property to be divided equally between them. Item, to my Daughter in law Sarah Woolston I do give the sum of two pounds current money of West Jersey, to be paid to her in one year after my Decease by my Executors hereinafter named. Item,

to my Daughter in law Anna Lippincott I do give the sum of two pounds like money to be paid to her in one year after my Decease by my Exers. Item, to David Butterworth, Joseph Butterworth, and Benjamin Butterworth, Junr., I do give the sum of four pounds money, as above said. Each to be paid to them by my Exers as they severally attain the age of one and twenty Years, and in case either of the sd Legatees should die before that time then the sd portion of such Deceased to be divided Equally between the Survivors; all these before mentioned Legacies to be paid out of my personal Estate. Item, all the remainder of my personal Estate whatsoever and wheresoever, after the payment of my Just Debts, Charges of my funeral and abovesaid Legacies, I do give and bequeath to be Equally Divided between my three Daughters, Rebekah Lippincott, Rachel Briggs and Mary Witherill. Item, It is my will and I do hereby order that my two Sons Daniel and David, in Consideration of the lands to them, shall pay unto my three daughters in one year after my decease as follows (viz): my son Daniel the Sum of Eight pounds current money to each of them, and David the sum of twelve pounds like money to each of them, and I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my two sons, Daniel and David Stockton, Joynt whole and Sole Executors of this my Last will and Testament, revoking, annuling and Disallowing all and evry other and former testments, wills, legacies, Bequests and Executors by me in any wise before this time named, willed & bequeathed, ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seall the day and year above written.

JOHN STOCKTON. { SEAL }

Signed, sealed. published, pronounced & declared by the said testator in the presence of us the subscribers.

JOHN MACKINTOSH,
STEPHEN MURPHY,
JOHN OSMOND.

[Will proved April 4, 1747. Recorded in Liber V, West Jersey Wills, p. 316.]

APPENDIX XI.

DANIEL STOCKTON'S WILL.

In the name of God, Amen: I Daniel Stockton of Willingborough in the County of Burlington, being in health of body, But Remembering we are all Mortal and men Die in a Moment, Do make and Ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in manner following: First, I do recommend my Soule to almighty God, but my body to be buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named, in hopes of a Joyful resurrection. Secondly, I Give unto my Executors hereafter named full power to sell all my Estate real and personal, to pay Just Debts and funeral Charges and Legacies, or to keep it paying the same. Item, I give unto my three Daughters Ann Carma, Elizabeth Jones and Abigall Gaskill the Sume of Twenty Shillings, Each of them to be paid by my Executors. Item, I give all the remaining part of my Estate Real and personal unto my five sons, to be Equally Divided amongst them or their heirs, named John Stockton, Daniel Stockton, Richard Stockton, Abraham Stockton and William Stockton said Land or vallue Equally Divided when my Youngest Son is of Age, and I Give my wife Hannah Stockton all the use or Interest of the said Estate real and personal untill my Youngest Son arrives to the Age of Twenty-one, And after that to have Ten pounds a year as long as she remains a widow, to be payed by my five Sons; And I do hereby make, ordain, appoint my wife Hannah Stockton and my two sons John Stockton and Daniel Stockton my Sole Executors of this my Last will and Testament. In witness thereof I have set my hand and Seal this Tenth Day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty-five (1755).

DANIEL STOCKTON. { SEAL }

Signed and sealed in the presence of us,

JOSEPH WELSH,
BENJAMIN BURSDEN + by his mark.

[Will proved March 22, 1763. Recorded in Liber X1 of West Jersey Wills, p. 280.]

APPENDIX XII.

WILL OF JOHN STOCKTON OF WILLINGBOROUGH.

I John Stockton of the Township of Willingborough and County of Burlington in West Jersey, being of Sound mind and Memory, Do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament. Principally and First of all, I recommend my Soul unto the hands of God my Creator and my Body to the Earth to be Decently buried, and Touching my worldly Estate I Dispose of it as follows:

Imprimus, I give to my beloved wife Hannah Stockton One Bed and furniture, and my will is She have the Use and benefit of my Dwelling House and the Sixteen acres of Land belonging to it which was purchased of my father's plantation, And my will is that my said wife have the benefit of my Prentice Lad's time named George Ferrell until he Comes of Age. Item, my will is that the Sixty-five acres of Land which I purchased of my brother Daniel Stockton, Also the Cedar Swamp purchased of Revell Elton, be Sold by my Executors hereafter named; And I do hereby Impower and Require them to make a good and Indisputable Title in fee Simple to the same. Item, my Dwelling house with the Lott of Land belonging to it with all the Improvements thereon I Give to my Son John Stockton, to him his heirs and Assigns forever, to Enjoy the benefit thereof when he arrives to the Age of Twenty One Years, And my will is that my said Son pay to my Son Samuel Stockton the Sum of Ten pounds When said Samuel is Twenty One Years of Age. Item, I Give to my three Daughters, namely Hannah Stockton, Rhoda Stockton and Sarah Stockton, to Each of them the Sum of Thirty Shillings proclamation money, to be paid 'em by my Execrs out of my Movable Estate when they severally arrive to the Age of Eighteen Years. Item, my will is that all my Movable Estate be sold by my Execrs Excepting only the Bed and furniature Given to my wife, and the Monies from there arising, as also the Monies arising from the sale of my Land Ordered to be Sold, be applied to pay my Debts, and whatever is Remaining after my Just Debts and funeral charges are paid I Give to my beloved wife; this Together with the benefit of my House and Lott untill my Son come of Age, I give her in Lieu of her Dowry and to Enable her

to bring up and Educate my children. Lastly, I Appoint my brother Daniel Stockton and my neighbor James Newton Executors of this my Last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal, Date the fourth of the Eleventh month in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty-three.

JOHN STOCKTON. {SEAL}

Signed, sealed, and delivered by the Testator to be his Last will and Testament in presence of

JOSEPH EAGRE,
JONAH WOOLMAN,
ASHER WOOLMAN.

[Will proved December 19, 1763. Recorded in Liber XI of West Jersey Wills, pp. 242-4.]

APPENDIX XIII.

SAMUEL STOCKTON'S WILL.

I Samuel Stockton of the City and County of Burlington in the State of New Jersey, being advanced in Years, but of Sound Mind, Memory and understanding, for which blessings I thank God, Do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner following, that is to say:

First, I Order all my just debts and funeral expenses to be duly paid and satisfied.

Second, I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Rhoda Huff Four hundred dollars.

Third, I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary White Four hundred and fifty dollars.

Fourth, I Give and bequeath unto my friend Hannah Ackerman One hundred dollars.

Fifth, The Residue of my Estate, after paying my debts and Legacies above mentioned and expenses, I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Stockton.

Lastly, I Nominate and appoint my Son Samuel Wesley Stockton Executor of this my Last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Sixth day of November in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty.

SAM'L STOCKTON. {SEAL}

Signed, sealed, published and declared as his Last Will and Testament by the Testator in Our presence, who at his request and in his presence have hereunto set our hands as witnesses, the (and fifty) in the second clause on the first page erazed before signing.

JOSEPH L. WRIGHT,
FRANKLIN WOOLMAN.

[Will proved December 8, 1847. Liber G, Burlington County Wills, p. 138.]

APPENDIX XIV.

DANIEL LEEDS'S LETTER.

To y^e^ Men's Monthly Meeting of Burlington:

Dear Friends: Whereas I do understand y^t^ something in my Almanack hath given offence to ffriends of truth—Therefore I did look uppon myself as bound for Satisfaction and Vindication of y^e^ blessed to Condemn and Judge them as wrong and proceeding from a ground y^t^ was out of Truth, I being at a Loss as to my Inward condition at y^e^ Time of Writing thereof, During which Loss I have been apt to Let in hard Thoughts and to pass a Forward Judgement of Some Proceedings of y^e^ Men's Meeting—which I also do condemn, warning all others to have a Carre of Letting in any thing against y^e^ Good Practices of y^e^ Church of Christ in Men and Women's Meeting.

Read in y^e^ Meeting y^e^ 5th of y^e^ 12th Mo: 1682.

Daniell Leeds.

[Minutes of the Burlington Monthly Meeting.]

APPENDIX XV.

DANIEL LEEDS'S WILL, ETC.

In ye name of God, Amen: I Daniell Leeds, being sick & weak in Body but by ye Good providence of God my sence & memory yet Remain, therefore I here make and ordain this to be my Last Will & Testament. holding fast my confidence in ye faith and Doctring of ye Church of England, beleiveing it in yt Respect to be one of ye best Churches in ye world. Yt first I committ my Soule to God ye fountain from whence all human Souls originall flowed fourth, & my body to ye Earth, in hopes through ye meritts of my Saver Jesus Christ to obtain pardon for my Sins & in ye End ye Resurrection of ye Just, yt my body discharged from pains & grounes may be reunited to my Soule to my Everlasting eternall felicity, whereas I give a bond to my wife Jean upon our marriage to oblige my Exrs to Deliver to her ye goods that she Bought & also to pay her ye yearly interest of my personall Estate, to perform which I appoint my two Sons Felix & Philo to be my Exrs, & yt they may be willing to Undertake it I give them Each of them two of my best silver spoons, & also each of them five pounds in money, all not to be Put into ye Inventory, and then as to ye Principall of my Estate I will to be Divided between my Sons Japhet, Felix, Philo, Daniell, Titian, & my daughter An, to pay my Son Bethanah five pounds old money, beside what he had upon his plantation, & for his Rest of his portion I give him back his sd plantation again as by ye deed may be seen; But if my wife thinks fit to Deliver up ye bond in two weeks after my decease & take to her thirds, then I hereby Joyn my wife in ye Exrship along with Felix, & Leave out Philo, & doe give my wife as pt thereof half ye Ready money in my trunk, there being two tenn Pound bags. Also, I Give her all ye goods She brought; also I give to her son John Smoutt ten pounds & to her maide An Sykes ten pounds, both new money, & to Daniell & Rebeckah Stockton each five pounds old money, & five pounds old money as before to Bethanah; ye Rest of my Estate to be Equally Divided between my sons Japhet, Felix, Philo, Daniell, Titian, & my Daughter An, only I Desire first yt Felix may have two silver spoons, Philo two, Daniell one besides his own, Titian two, & An one, besides her gold

Ring, all not to be Inventoryd, & my wife one of ye best silver spoons. Also, I hereby request my Son Japhet as heir at law to Signe Anthony Elton a Deed of my 18 or 19 acres of Land in ye Bounds of Burlington, in Consideration of ten pounds old money, being part of a Legacy he Demands of me as given him by his Uncle Wm. Elton. Ye Land joins that which Bethanah sold to Geo Wills & is ye north pt. Moreover, my Books being old & of small value I give to my Son Titian; also I order Daniell & Rebeckah Stockton's money aforementioned not to be pd till ye age of Eighteen years, or day of marriage, wch first happens. Lastly, yt wch Should have been foremost happened to be omitted, therefore I place it here viz: my will is yt what Debts I owe & my funeral expences with other Incidental charges be pd first before my . . . be made of my Estate. In wittness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal June ye 27th 1720. I will yt my Dumbman continue on this plantation for ye use of my wife & Son Titian, & this done before Signing & Sealing.*

DANIELL LEEDS. { SEAL }

Signed, sealed & declared to be my Last Will in ye presence of }

THO. LEEDS,
ELIZABETH FENTON.

[Will proved by his widow in October, 1720. Recorded in Liber II, West Jersey Wills, p. 184.]

Inventory of the Effects of Daniell Leeds, late of Springfield.

	£	s.	d.
Apparill, Bills, Bonds, Cash & plate	496	10	04
In the Hall a chest of Drawers, Table, Chairs, and other things	16	14	02
In the Dining Room a Table, Chairs, Brass, Pewter and other things	12	09	00
In the Kitchen, Meall House, & Cellar to Sundry things	05	02	00
To a pair of money Scales & 2 Brass pans . . .	05	06	00
In the Chambers four Beds, Chairs, & other things .	20	05	00
For Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hoggs, Hay & Corn .	52	05	00
For shaa Cart, Timber, chain & hoes & other utensils	18	04	04
Totall . . .	626	15	10

Jacob Hewlings & John Wright, apraisers.

* The original will entirely in the testator's handwriting.

APPENDIX XVI.

WILL OF THOMAS GARDINER OF WARMINSTER.

In the name of God, Amen:

I Thomas Gardiner the elder of Warminster in the County of Wiltes, taylor, being sick and weake of body but of sound and perfect memory (thanks be to God for the Same), doe make & ordaine this my last Will & Testament in manner and forme following: Ffirst, I comend my Soule to the hands of God that gave it me and my body to the earth from whence it came to be interred according to the discretion of my Executrix.

Item, I give to all my children twelve pence a piece. All the rest of mine Estate I give wholly and entirely unto Jayne my loving wife, whome I constitute and appoint the whole and Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, wch I Ratifie and confirme, Revoking hereby all former and other wills by me made whatsoever. In witness whereof I have hereunto Sett mine hand and Seale the Second Day of July anno regni Caroli Secundi nunc Angliæ reg. et dom. quarto Anoqr Dom. 1662.

The marke of
(T)
THOMAS GARDINER. { SEAL }

[Probated October 3, 1676. Archdeaconry of Sarum, Calender XI, p. 47, Somerset House, London.]

APPENDIX XVII.

WILL OF THOMAS GARDINER OF BURLINGTON.

I Thomas Gardner of Burlington in ye Province of West New Garsey, being sick and weake of body but through ye mercy of God of good and Perfect memory, doe make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, making all other wills and Testaments by mè formerly to be null & voyd, in maner and forme as followeth:

Imprimus, I give and bequeath unto my sonn Thomas Gardner and his Heirs forever my now dwelling house with al ye Lott of Land from Amos Wills to Richard Wills, Throughout on ye High Street in Burlington, after ye decease of my wife Elizabeth Gardner.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Hester Wills the sum of one hundred pounds.

Item, I give & bequeath unto my Grandchild John Wills the forty foot of Land Given by his uncle John Gardner to him & his heires forever.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my sonn Thomas Gardner the forty foot of Land given by his brother John Gardner to him & his heirs forever.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my grandchild John Wills and to his sister Mary Wills each of them one hundred acres of land in ye woods, to be taken for them when there father shall see fitt.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Gardner the Brick house on ye High Street with the remainder of ye Land belonging to it, all the materialls belonging to ye finishing of it, and Lawfull Heires borne of her body forever.

Lastly, I doe nominate and ordaine my well-beloved wife Elizabeth Gardner to be ye execntrix of this my Last Will & Testament, giving unto her full power to use or injoye or otherwise to sell or dispose of all the remaining pt of my Estate which is unbequeathed *which is* personall in as full & ample maner as I myself can doe. In wittness whereof I have sett my hand & seale this twenty-fourth day of November Anno Dom. one thousand six hundred ninety & fouer

(1694). It is my will if Jane Wills and Samuel Harwood shall have each of them tenn shillings.

THOMAS GARDNER. {SEAL}

Signed, sealed, published & declared to be his last Will & Testament in y^e^ presence of

WALTER HUMPHRIES,
RICHARD LOVE,
BENJ. WHEATH.

Before y^e^ Sealing interlined y^e^ words *which is.*

Att Burlington in y^e^ Province of West New Jersey, the 15th December anno RR. et Regimæ Gulielmi et Mariæ Angl., &c., sexto, annoq. Dom. 1694. Then proved the within written to be the last Will & Testament of Thomas Gardner (the Testator within named) according to Law Before us.

THO: REVELL, Regt. { EDWARD HUNLOKE, JOHN TATHAM, THO: REVELL.

[Unindexed Files of Burlington County Wills.]

APPENDIX XVIII.

THOS. AND HANNAH GARDINER'S MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE.

Whearas, theare hath been an Intention of Marriage dewly Published at two severall Monthly Meetings of ye People called Quakers, in Burlington (upon ye River Delaware in ye Province of West New Jarsey in America). Between Thomas Gardiner, Junr., and Hannah Matthews, Both inhabiting in Burlington aforesaid, ye consent of thair parence on both parts being had, and likewise certificates for each of them from their Respective Meetings wh formerly these might relate unto, from the hands of our friends and Brethren in England. produced on their behalf, in testimony all of their clearness from all other Persons in Respect, as also what further inquiry was thought ye case might require here, and in all nothing appearing to hinder ye Prosecution of ye said marriage but a free consent to ye same:

Now these may Certifie to all whom it may concerne that on ye day of ye date hereof, in our sight and hearing, and in an assembly of ye Lord's people, ye said Thomas Gardiner did take and declare the said Hannah Matthews to be his wife, and the said Hannah Matthews did take and declare the said Thomas Gardiner to be her husband, according to ye Example of ye Lord's people Recorded in ye Scriptures of Truth. Each of them consenting or Promising to be loving, faithful and true in ye capassity as husband and wife during ye terme of their natural lives together, & to the truth of wch testimony ye above said pty's have first of all subscribed their hands, and we also as witnesses. this 25th of ye fourth month one thousand six hundred & eighty & foure.

THOMAS GARDINER.
HANNAH GARDINER.

Tho. Olive,
Robt. Dimsdale,
Rob. Stacy,
John Skeene,
Bridget Guy.
Mary Cripps,
Mary Dimsdale.
Allice Hucheson,

Rich. Guy,
Daniel Wills,
Willm. Bidle,
John Bridd,
Benj. Wheate,
Wm. Brightwen,
Bernard Devinish,
John Cripps,
Saml. Broden,
Isaac Marriatt,
Jedediah Allen,
Wm. Peachee,
Ann Jennings,
Suzanah Budd.
Susannah Brightwen,
Ann Peachee,
Grace Hollinshead,
Joyce Marriott,
Thos. Gardiner, Senr,
Thos. Matthews,
Elizabeth Gardiner,
John Gardiner,
Jane Gardiner,
John Day,
Hester Wills,
Mary Goswell,
Mary Morris.

[Burlington Monthly Meeting Records.]

APPENDIX XIX.

GUARDIANS OF MATHEWS GARDINER.

Appointment of Mathews Gardiner's Guardians:

By His Excelleney Robert Hunter, Esqr., Captain-General and Governor of New Jersey, New York, &c., &c.:

To all whom these Presents shall come Greeting:

Know ye that on the twenty-fifth day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twelve, personaly appeared before Jeremiah Ross, Esqr., being thereunto commissioned and appointed, Mathews Gardiner the only son of Thomas Gardiner, Esqr., Deceased, of the age of fourteen years & upwards, and desired that Abraham Bickley and John Wills might be admitted his Guardeans, which I have thought fitt to grant and they are admitted aeeordingly.

In Testimony whereof I have caused the Prerogative Seale to be hereunto affixed this first day of Octobcr in the Eleventh Year of her Majesty's Reigne, Anno Dom. 1712.

Ro. Hunter. PREROGATIVE SEAL.

[Liber I, West Jersey Wills, p. 380.]

APPENDIX XX.

MATHEWS GARDINER'S WILL.

Last Will of Mathews Gardiner of Willingborough:

I Mathews Gardiner of the Township of Willingborough and County of Burlington and Province of West Jersey, mariner, being afflicted with Weakness of Body, but of sound mind, memory and understanding, do make and put in writing this my last Will and Testament, revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made.

Imprimus, I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Thomas Gardiner all that my House and Lot of land in Burlington now in the possession of John Allen, to him and his Heirs and assigns forever.

Item, I give and bequeath also to my son Thomas Gardiner all my Lot of Land adjoining to John Weallin in Burlington, and fronting on the River Delaware and running back to Pearl Street, and also all my Proprietary Rights of Land in ye Province of New Jersey or elsewhere, to him his Heirs and assignes forever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Abraham Gardiner all my House and Lot of Land in Burlington now in the possession of William Snowden, fronting High Street and extending back the whole front of said Buildings three hundred Foot, to him his Heirs and Assignes forever, and also I give and bequeath unto my son Abraham Gardiner all the Lot of Land fronting Water Street and extends to Pearl Street, whereon the Brick House lately stood commonly called Basnet's House, to him his Heirs and Assignes forever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Gardiner all my Lot of Land lying and adjoining on the East side of High Street in Burlington, containing Eighty-five foot front and now in tenor and occupation of George Wills, to her and her Heirs and assignes forever. Item, If it should so happen that all my children should dye without issue, Then and in such case I give, devise and bequeath all my real estate in the Town of Burlington or elsewhere to my loving wife during the time of her widowhood, and from and after that time I give and devise the same equally divided amongst

my Sister's Children who shall be then living, Excepting my Kinsman Joseph Furnis, whom after the Death of my children as aforesaid I give, devise, and bequeath the sum of Three pound proclamation. Item, I give and bequeath unto my dear and well-beloved wife Sarah Gardiner all the rest of my Estate both reall and personall, be it what it will or where it will, she and my other Executor hereafter named taking care to bring up my children with good Learning, clear and free from charge, that when they come to age they may enjoy their Estates without any charge upon either of them for bringing up. Item, I do make, ordain, constitute and appoint my dear and loving wife and my Friend Richard Smith, Junr., of the Town of Burlington, merchant, to be the Executrix and Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Mathews Gardiner have to this my last Will and Testament set my Hand and Seal this Twenty-eighth day of May in the fourth year of the Reign of our Soverign Lord George the Second, King over Great Britain, &c., Anno Dom. One thousand seven hundred and Thirty-one.

MATHEWS GARDINER. {SEAL}

Signed, scalled, published and declared by the said Mathews Gardiner to be his last Will & Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers.

ROBERT LUCUS,
ROBERT LUCUS, Junr.,
SAML. SCATTERGOOD.

[Will proved September 3, 1731. Recorded in Liber III, West Jersey Wills, p. 148.]

APPENDIX XXI.

THOMAS GARDINER'S CERTIFICATE.

From our Monthly Meeting held at Philadelphia ye 28 *of* 4 *mo.*, 1745, *to the Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Burlington :*

Dear Friends: Application being made to us for a certificate on ye behalf of Thomas Gardiner, who has removed within the verge of your said meeting, these are to certifie you that we have made inquiry as usual in such cases, and find he behaved himself soberly and frequented meetings during ye time of his apprenticeship, ye which he served in this city, and as far as we can find he was clear of any engagements of marriage. Recommending him to your Christian care and oversight, we in brotherly love salute you, and subscribe your friends and brethren.

Signed in and on behalf of our said meeting by

Israel Pemberton, Clerk.

[Burlington Monthly Meeting Records.]

APPENDIX XXII.

THOMAS MATHEWS'S MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES.

[Registers of the Society of Friends, Somerset House, London. Book 833, p. 9:]

The 16th day of the 12th month, in the year 1663, Thomas Mathews, of Sepulchres psh., London, carpenter, before an Assembly of the people of God called Quakers, at their publick meeting place at the Peele in John's Street in the County of Middlesex, tooke Hannah Day, of Wendon in Essex, to be his wife, and the said Hannah Day tooke the said Thomas Mathews to be her husband, and each promising to be faithfull one to the other as man and wife for long as they should live. In the presence of

JOHN ELSON,
THOMAS ZACHARY.

[Book 833. p. 93:]

Thomas Mathews of the city of London, carpenter, this 13th day of the first month, in the year 1672–3, In an Assembly of the People of God called Quakers, at their meeting place at the Peele in John's Street, London, did take Martha Watson, of Bartholomew Close, London, widdow, to be his wife, and she the said Martha Watson did then and there take the said Thomas Mathews to be her husband, each of them promising to be faithfull one to the other as husband and wife so long as they should live.

In the presence of

Gerrad Roberts,
Sam. Thornton,
Matt. Bowman,
Ezekiel Nolley,
Wm. Gibson,
Thomas Geddon,
John Bolton,
Gilbert Latye,
Richard Smith,
Joseph Ellis,
Ellis Hooker,
Tho. Petchet,
John Maninger,
Rebecca Travers,
Mary Fforster,
Elizabeth Matherwood,
Eliz. Bowman,
Jane Moore,
Agnes Whiteman,
Mary Elson,

John Cowen,
Fras. Plumsted,
Edward Man,
Benj. Antwebus,
John Dew,
Nicholas Cooper,
John Elson,
Robert Budger,

Mary Norbery,
Sar. Cooke,
Agnes Poole,
Grace Plumsted,
Katharine Cooper,
Patience Camfield,
Susanna Jinner.

APPENDIX XXIII.

ROBERT ELTON'S WILL.

In the name of God, Amen: I Robert Elton of Souley, in the psh. of Chilton, in the County of Wilts, yeoman, being weake in body but perfect in memory, praised be the Lord for it, doe make this my last Will and Testament, in manner and forme following, the 13th day of January, Anno 1663.

First, I give and bequeath my soule to Almighty God that gave it me, and my body to the earth from whence it was taken, in hope of a joyful resurection, and for all my worldly goods as followeth:

Item, I give unto Margery my wife my house standing in the heath, the orchard thereunto adjoining, and six acres of ground thereto belonging.

Item, I give unto my said wife my black-legged cow and a black-legged bullock.

Item, I give unto Margery my loving wife half my household stuff and half the provision that is in my house when I die and a sack of wheat.

Item, I give unto my sister the widdow Shaddo 20s.

Item, I give unto her sonn James 12s.

Item, I give unto my son-in-law Richard Chilton all my wearing clothes.

Item, I give unto my two daughters Dorothy Chilcester and Mary Maunday twelve pence apiece, and all the rest of my grandchildren twelve pence apiece.

Item, I give unto my sonn Anthony my living and all the rest of of my goods, whom I make my sole executor of this my last Will and Testament, paying my debts and discharging my funerall and Legacies. I desire my neybors and good friends Samuell Austin and Robert Sparks to be my overseers of this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and Seale the day and year first above written.

The mark of
(J)
Robert Elton. {SEAL}

In the presence of

HENRY CRIPS,

The mark of (A) ABRAM PAINE.

[Will probated April 20, 1669. Personal property valued at £60 10s. 0d. Archdeaconry of Wilts, No. 63, Somerset House, London, England.]

APPENDIX XXIV.

ANTHONY ELTON'S WILL.

Last Will of Anthony Elton of Northampton:

In the name of God, Amen: The Eleventh Day of November, in the year of our Lord according to the English Account one thousand seven hundred & two, I Anthony Elton of the Township of Northampton, in the County of Burlington and Province of West New Jersey, yeoman, being sick in body butt of Sound mind and memory, Praised be to God for the same and for all his mercies: Being minded to set things in order with relation to my worldly estate, doe therefore make and put in writeing this my last Will & Testament in manner & forme following: And first & principally I recomend my Soule unto the hands of Almighty God my Creator when itt shall please him to call for itt out of this mortal Tabernacle, & my body I commit to the Earth, Hopeing & Steadfastly believeing, through the alone merrits of the Lord Jesus Christ my blessed Redeamer, to Obtaine pardon and absolution of all my Sins & to be made pertaker of everlasting life. As for my body, It is my desire the same may be Interred in decent manner att the descretion of my dear wife and my friends, and as for my worldly effects I Give and dispose of the same as hereinafter followeth: And first, my will and mind is that all such Just debts as are due from me be Truely paid, together with my funerall charges forth of my whole Estate. Item, I give and bequeath to my daughter, Elizabeth Elton, Twenty pounds and a bed with furniture thereto. Item, Itt is my will and mind that my wife shall or may live & Inhabit in the dwelling house wherein I now live and have the benefit of the Plantation & land now in my tenure until my Son Revell come to age, and afterwards soe much thereof as my Son Revell can reasonably spare towards the maintinance of her selfe and the bringing up of my other children.

Item, I give and bequeath to my said son Revell & to his Heirs forever, the Dwelling-house, Barn & houseing upon my plantation, & also all that land & premises with the apurtenances which I have

and enjoy as heir to my late father deceased. Hereby Willing & hopeing my said Son Revell will Observe & fullfill my aforesaid Desire and will to his mother for the benefitt of her & his brothers & sisters. Item, I give & bequeath all that land with all the appurtenances thereto belonging which I lately purchased of & from Thomas Gardiner unto Elizabeth my Loveing wife during the Terme and time of her naturall life, and immediately from & after her decease I Give and bequeath the same Land & appurtenances so purchased as aforsaid unto my two Sons Robert and Anthony, & to their Heirs and Assigns forever. Item, All my other land & Right to Land by virtue of my Proprietorship in the province I Give & bequeath to my three Children, Mary, Hannah & William, one hundred pounds to be equally Divided amongst them & to be payed to them as they shall Respectively come to age. Item, all the Rest of my Estate soever & wheresoever I Give & bequeath to my dear & Loving wife Elizabeth, to be at her sole dispose, and doe hereby nominate & make her my said wife sole Executrix of this my Last Will & Testament. I hereby Request my Loveing Neighbor Joshua Humphries & my Loveing brother-in-law Joshua Newbold to be assistants to my said Wife in the performance of this my last will, & I doe hereby declare this to be my last Will & Testament. In witness thereof I the said Anthony Elton have hereto sett my hand & Seal the day & year above written.*

ANTHONY ELTON. { SEAL }

Signed, sealed, published & declared by the Testator above mentioned as his last Will & Testament the day & year above said, in the presence of us,

THOS. REVELL,
THOMAS STOKES,
ANN WHITE.

BURLINGTON, the 16th July, 1704.

Personaly appeared before me, Thomas Revell, Esquire, Surrogate in & for the Province of New Jersey, Thomas Stokes, one of the witnesses to the within written will of Anthony Elton, who being

* The will in Mr. Revell's handwriting.

duly attested did declare that he saw the within named Anthony Elton sign, seal, publish & declare the within written as his last will & testament, & that att the same time of the publication thereof he was of sound mind & memory to the best of his deponent's knowledge, & that he saw Tho. Revell & Ann White signe the same as evidence thereto.

Attested before me,

THOS. REVELL, Sur.

[Recorded in Liber I, West Jersey Wills, p. 74.]

APPENDIX XXV.

INVENTORY OF EDWARD TONKIN'S ESTATE.

An Inventory of the Goods and Chattels of Edward Tonkin, cordwayner, of Springfield, deceased, as following, this sixth day of April, 1691:

	£	s.	d.
Imprs. One Cow and the Mare and Colt . . .	6	10	00
Item: one mare Colt	1	15	00
It: one bed and beadstead	3	10	00
It: one Iron Pott and hookes		15	
It: one Brass pott		10	
It: one Brass pott		06	
It: one pair of Pott hangers		03	06
It: one pair of bellows and a fire shovel . . .		02	06
It: one Iron Trevett		02	06
It: two pewter dishes and four plates and one pewter pott, one Candlestick and two old dishes . .	1	10	00
It: one Earthen ware, one Bason and Ewer, one plaine bason, two white porrengirs, 6 plaine trenchers and one wyer Candlestick		05	06
It: one barrell, and an Elbow chaier, two joynt stools, & one bass-bottomed stoole, and one broken joynt stoole		09	00
It: his wareing clothes, one cloth coat, one vest, two pair of breeches, and three westcotes, one old coat and two hats	3	17	00
It: one old Shirt and a paire of drawers, and one pair of stockings		06	00
It: his Tooles, and Leather, and Last . . .		14	00
It: one Indiron and one spitt		02	06
It: one Table, and one Chair		06	06
It: one Chest		10	00
It: in debts due from Samll. Ogbourne . . .		10	06
It: due from John Burne		03	00

It: one pair of Scales and weights	05		
It: one pair of Stirrop Irons, bridle and Sadlle .	03	06	
It: one small Chest	02	00	
It: one spining wheele	02	06	
It: a debt due from Will'm Atchison	01	04	
It: due from John Snape	03	00	
Sume total is . . .	23	05	10

Appraised by JOHN SHINN,
JOHN DAY, and
PETER HARRVEY.

This is a true copy of the originall Inventory of the Goods and Chattels of ye above named Edward Tonkin, deceased, examined with ye same originall the 21st of September, Ann. Dom. 1691.

Per me. THO: REVELL, Regr.

[Unindexed Files of Burlington County Administrations.]

APPENDIX XXVI.

JOHN TONKIN'S WILL.

This forth Day of July, in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty ffour, I John Tonken of Springfield and County of Burlington, in the Western division of the Province of New Jersey, yeoman, being Sick and weak of Body, but of sound and perfect mind and memory, thanks be given to God therefore, I calling to mind the mortality of my Body, and knowing that it is appointed for all men to Die, do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament (that is to say): First and principally of all I give and Recommend my Soul unto the hands of God Almighty that gave it, and for my Body I recommend it to the Earth, to be Buried in Christian like and decent manner, at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter named, and as touching such Worldly Goods and Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this Life, I give, devise, and dispose of the same in the following manner and form, viz : Imprimus, I give and Bequeath unto my dear and well beloved wife Susannah Tompkens, her heirs and assigns forever, my Negro Wench named Jane and my Best fether Bed. Item, I give and Bequeath unto my Dafter Elizabeth Tomkens, besides what I have already given her, all the Earthen ware now upon my mantel shelf. Item, I give and Bequeath unto my son Edward Tomkens, my great cher. Item, I give and Bequeath unto my Dear and Loving Wife Susannah Tomkens all the Rest, Residue and Remainder of my Estate to her During her natural Life and no longer, and after her Decease the same I give to my fore other sons (viz): John Tomkens, Charles Tomkens, Joshua Tomkens, and Jacob Tomkens, to be Equally divided between them, share and share alike. I likewise Constitute, make and ordain my Loving wife, Susannah Tompkens, to be the only and Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, whome I order to pay all my Just Debts and funeral Charges, hereby utterly Disallowing all other former Wills and Testaments, Legacies and Executors by me before this time named,

Willed and Bequeathed, Ratifieing this and only this to be my Last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the Day and Year first above written.

JOHN TONKEN. {SEAL}

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced and delivered the above writing by the abovesaid John Tomken to contain and be his Last will and Testament.

BENJAMIN MARRIOT,
HESTER SMALL (S) her marke,
THO: SHINN.

[Will proved August 20, 1735. Recorded in Liber IV, West Jersey Wills, p. 33.]

APPENDIX XXVII.

INVENTORY OF THE ESTATE OF LAWRENCE DOWSE.

An Inventory of the Estate of Lawrence Dowse, deceased, taken the 31*st of March*, 1692:

	£	s.	d.
The dwelling and barn and Land adjoyning . . .	090	00	00
His wareing Clothes, Linin and wollen	005	00	00
A Bible and other books	000	15	00
One acre and three-quarters of land in the East field .	030	00	00
Eight acres of land in the first division of the Stinted pasture	40	00	00
14 acres and one-half of the wood land in the first division	005	00	00
14 acres and one-half of the second division of wood land	007	00	00
Six acres of Salt medow, one mistake side . . .	030	00	00
3 feather beds and 3 bolsters and pillows, and 5 blankets, 2 Coverlids, 3 Rugs	14	00	00
1 dozen of napkins	00	12	00
7 pair of pillow biers and 3 bolster casses . . .	00	17	00
9 pair of Sheets	04	10	00
5 table Cloths	00	15	00
1 long table, 3 joine stools, 1 form	00	01	00
1 Chest of drawers, 3 Chairs, 3 Cushins . . .	01	00	00
1 Table, 1 Chest and Chaire	00	14	00
Peuter	02	04	00
4 brass Kettles, 2 brass pans, 3 skillets, 2 Candlesticks, 1 warming pan, one morter and pestel . . .	05	02	00
3 Iron pots, 2 tramils, 1 paire of andirons, one spit, one paire of tongs and one fire pan, one frying pan, 2 smoothing Irons	01	07	00
1 table, old chairs, and tin and Earthen ware, 1 paire small stilyards	00	02	00
One half bushell, one fan	00	04	00
Beer Barils, axis, two wedgis, shuffill, spads and lumber	02	00	00
A small case and bottles	00	06	00

2 Cows	05	00	00
7 Sheep and 5 lambs	02	10	00
A mare Colt	01	00	00
	£313	9	6

Apraised by John Cutler, Senior, and Nathaniel Rands.

November 21, '92.

Margery Dowse, Samuel Dowse, and Nathaniel Dowse, Executors, admitted and made oath to y^e^ above Inventory of y^e^ Estate of Lawr. Dowse, deceased.

James Cordin,
James Russell.

Attest:
Samuel Phipps, Regr.

[Probate Office, Cambridge. Paper No. 2, Box No. 124.]

APPENDIX XXVIII.

THE WILL OF SAMUEL DOWSE.

In the name of God, amen: I, Samuel Dowse of Charlestown, in the County of Middlesex and Province of Massachusetts Bay, in New England, being infirm in Body, by reason of age, yet of Sound mind and memory, Thanks be to God therefor, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament: Principally I commit my Soul unto the hands of God that gave it, hopeing to receive mercy through the merits of Jesus Christ, and my Body I commit to the dust, to be buryed with a Decent Burial by my Executors hereafter named, and as for that worldly Estate which God has endowed me withall (after my Just Debts and Funeral charges are paid), my Will is that it be disposed of as follows:

Item, I Give and Bequeath unto my dear and well beloved wife Faith all my moveable Estate, to Dispose thereof as she shall see good.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my son Maximilian, *To his heirs and assigns forever*, one Double Part of my whole Estate not otherwise disposed of.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my son Ebenezer the full and just sum of Ten Pounds Current money of this Province before the Estate be divided.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my son Ebenezer and to my daughter Mary and to my daughter Sarah, *their heirs and assigns forever*, Each one Equall Part of my Estate not before disposed of.

My Will is that my children walk in fear of the Lord, and in Peace one with another. I do hereby constitute and appoint my said Wife and Son Maximilian to be the Executors of this my last Will and Testament, utterly revoking and disanulling all former or other Wills by me made, or reputed to be made, confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the Fourth of January One

Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty-two-three, in the Sixth year of his Majesties Reign.

SAMUEL DOWSE. {SEAL}

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced and declared by the said Samuel Dowse to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who subscribed our names in presence of said Testator.

EBENEZER GROVER,
STEPHEN BADGER, JR.,
SARAH GODFREY.

The Will presented for probate July 12th, but disallowed July 18th, 1735.

[Probate Office, Cambridge. Paper No. 5, Box No. 124.]

APPENDIX XXIX.

MAXIMILIAN JEWETT'S WILL, ETC.

In the name of God, Amen: I, Maximilian Jewett, of Rowley, in the County of Essex, in New England, doe make this my last Will & Testament as followeth: Impr. I committ my soul into the hands of God who gave me it, & my body to the grave in comfortable hope of a blessed resurrection, through the death & resurrection of my dear Redeemer, the Lord Jesus Christ, in the day of Christ.

For my outward estate which the Lord hath graciously bestowed on me, I dispose of it in manner following: Impr. To my well-beloved wife I give twenty pounds, which is due to her by my contract before marriage, to be payed part in two cows, the rest according to our contract; also, I give her all the rents due me from her son John Boynton; and further, I give her twenty pounds to be payed by my executor, also a feather bed which my daughter Elizabeth layed on, all during her natural life, & to be at her owne disposal at her death.

Further, my will is that while she remaineth my widdow (if she see good) the end of the house next the street be at her dispose to live in & improve for her own, upward and downward, keeping it in repair, & the hemp yard before the door, & the trees which stand in it; but if my wife see not good to live in the house, then upon her leaving it the same & the yard is to the use of Joseph in my will hereafter exprest.

Item, To my eldest son, Ezekiel Jewett, I confirme all that which I have given him already in buildings & lands, as appeareth by my deed of gift, which he hath under my hand & seal; also, I give him one half of my medow in the medow called Bachelors, & two acres of bastard and salt marsh or Ruff medow, being my whole division, at the place called Lundy Bridge, or near it, & four acres and a half of medow at Crane Medow, so-called, & my will is he pay out of what he now is to receive twenty pounds to my wife in neat cattle, & that he have the land that is yet to be laid out upon the common, & my highway marsh at Hogesland.

Item, to my son Joseph Jewett I give my now dwelling house, all at present but what part I have given to my wife during her widowhood, if she live in it, & upon her marriage or leaving it then that part to be to him; also, I give him the barns, orchards, yards, swamps, & toll or field above the street, being all my lands lying in the field called Bradford street lots, & one Commonage or freehold upon Commons of Rowley; also, fourteen acres of upland lying in the west end ox pasture: also, three acres of land lying behind Honsley Hill; also, four acres lying upon the plaine called Great Medow Plaine; also, I confirm to him which he hath possessed that I gave him two acres of upland lying in the farme; also, one acre of marsh joyning upon that which we call the Elders division; also, all that marsh which we call the far division, near the place called Stackyard: also, one cow gate upon commons of Rowley, with the division belonging to it; & my will is that my said son Joseph pay or cause to be paid thirty and four pounds to his sisters, namely, to Anna, three pounds; to Mary, five pounds; to Sarah, twelve pounds; to Elizabeth, four pounds; to Faith, ten pounds; all to be paid in Rowley in corne or cattle within seven years after my decease. But if my said son Joseph depart this life, and it be not payed within the time prefixt, my will is that my executor sell soe much of any lands I give him as shall pay the said legacies as are then unpayed, for that end, & I hereby impower him to confirm such sale.

Item, to my daughter Anna, besides the three score pounds I have already given her, I give her all my lands, being nine acres more or less, at the place called Bachelors field; also, my land in the new plaine, being about six acres; also, that parcell of my marsh which lieth between that which was Richard Swan's formerly & the ditch, being one acre more or less; also, one acre & a quarter of my medow called Bachelors medow, all which lands & medow I give her during her natural life, and after her decease I give the same to her son Jonathan Barker, if he live to the age of twenty & one years, with my division of grate marsh in Hog Island, and if he do not, I give the same lands & medows amongst the rest of her children which she shall leave, who live to that age or day of marriage. Further, I give her three pounds, to be payed by my son, Joseph Jewett.

Item, I give to my daughter, Mary Haseltine (besides the three score pounds I have already paid her, & the twenty-four acres of land confirmed by deed of gift), two acres of marsh which was

Robert Haseltine's, lying between Thomas Tenney his marsh & a ditch in the bounds of Rowley; also, I give her five pounds, to be payed by my son Joseph Jewett.

Item, I give to my daughter, Elizabeth Haseltine (besides what I have given her, which is about thirty pounds, & the half of my ninety and six acres of land at Bradford, confirmed by deed of gift), my marsh butting upon Newburg line, being about three acres, which I bought of William Lyon; also, four pounds, to be paid by my son Joseph Jewett.

Item, to my daughter, Faith Dowse (besides fourty pounds which I account I have paid her, & the half of my ninety & six acres at Bradford, confirmed by deed of gift), I give her about two acres & a half of salt & ruff marsh lying near the place called Cambridge, & ten pounds, to be payed by my son Joseph Jewett.

Item, To my daughter, Sarah Jewett, I give all my lands beyond the hill called Prospect Hill, being the remainder of my land lying within Ipswich line, not given to my son Ezekiel, there being about twelve acres of it; also, I give her one freehold or commonage in Rowley Commons; also, the land which is laid out to me by a grant of the towne of Rowley, called sixteen acres & a half, bounded by Leonard Herriman's land & John Plat's lands; also, I give her twelve pounds, to be paid by my son, Joseph Jewett, and seventeen pounds to be payed in movables, household stuff, or cattle, by my executor; also, my marsh at ye place neer Richard Wecom's spring & the salt corners adjoyning, & the three score rods parted from it by William Jackson's marsh.

Item, my will is that my son, Ezekiel Jewett, be my sole executor to this my last will, & that he receive all debts which I hereby will to him, due to me by bill, bond or other way, and that he pay all my debts due from me to any one; also, my will is that when my debts and funeral charges be discharged, and my executor paid for all his trouble & paines, if any estate not particularly willed & disposed of be remaining, that he shall have a doble part of it to any other children of mine, & each besides an equal share. In confirmation thereof, & that this is my last will & testament, I have hereunto sett my hand & seale this eighth day of January, Anno 1682, & 17th, 8 mo: 1684.

MAXIMILIAN (M. J.) JEWETT, his signe. { SEAL }

Signed, sealed & declared to be his last will and testament. in presence of us witnesses.

LEONARD HARRIMAN.
NEHEMIAH JEWETT.

25. 9 mo: 1684. The above will was proved in Court at Salem by the above witnesses.

[Essex Co. Probate Records, Vol. III. p. 112.]

An Inventory of the Estate of Maximilian Jewett, deceased, October, 1684:

	£	s.	d.
Imprimus: Buildings, upland & medows . . .	353	10	00
It: apparrell, books, money, peuter, brass, iron & earthenware, £23 8s. 11d.	23	8	11
It: woolen ware, cheires, stoo's, tables, chests, bedsteads, leather & bed, £6 11s.	6	11	0
It: beding, curteins, a carpet, flax, hemp, linen yarne, cushings & a pillion, £36 15s.	36	15	0
It: one loome, with utensels, cards, a comb, butter & cheese, glasses and that in them	2	11	6
It: malt & corne, beanes & baggs	6	8	6
It: a bed, an iron trevit, & old rug	4	4	0
It: debts due to the estate		6	2
	461	15	1
Debts due from the estate, £5 8s. 8d.: more, 14s.: more, 2s. 8d.	6	5	4

APPENDIX XXX.

WILLIAM HUNT'S WILL.

Last Will of William Hunt, of Marlborough, Mass.:

October 21, 1667.

I, William Hunt, of Marlborough, in New England, being weake in body, but thanks be to God in perfect memory, doe resigne and give my soule unto the hands of Almighty God, and doe dispose of my Worldly Estate as followeth, revoakeing all or any former will or wills whatsoever:

Item, I doe give and bequeath to Mercy Hunt, my well-beloved wife, all my Cart and plow Irons, hear at Marlborough, one spade, also one bedstead and cord, one paire of Curtains and valients, one Chest, one Cubord, two Cushion stools, two Joynestools, three Cushions, two frying pans, one peuter flaggon, one peuter bowle, one pair of Tongs, three small penter plates, one winnowing sheete, one forke, one little keeler, two hand pigine pails, one booke, one fine sheet. Item, I doe give and bequeath unto my Eldest Sonn Samuell my dwelling house in Concord, with barns and other buildings belonging to yt; alsoe, six ackors of land and orchard adjoining to it; alsoe, four ackors of land purchased of Joshua Edmunds; alsoe, a piece of land by estimation about eight ackors, adjoyning to the northwest end of the land of Isaake Hunt; alsoe, a piece of land, by estimation twenty ackors, adjoyning to a piece of land in the possession of John Heale upon the east, and the twenty score upon the west; alsoe, ten ackors of medow near to the dwelling house, lying upon the river; alsoe, eleven ackors of medow cald Brooke medow; alsoe, five ackors of medow cald Joseph's medow; alsoe, one hundred thirtie eight ackors of land in my second devision; alsoe, fiftye ackors of land at Brooke medow; also one halfe of Judson's lot. Item, I doe give and bequeath to my sonn Samuel Hunt my best peuter dish, one peuter coullendor, one table carpet, one Cushin, one ould bedstead in my house at Concord.

Item, I doe give and bequeath unto my sonn Nehemiah Hunt twenty five ackors of land on which his hous standeth, called Judson's

lot; alsoe, thirtye aekors being my great lot, eighteen aekors of which I purchasd of Mr. Peter Buckley; alsoe, one-hundred eighty and eight ackors of land cald second devision; alsoe, five aekors of medow cald the Bounds medow; alsoe, eleven ackors of medow cald Wigwam medow; alsoe, five aekors of medow within the thirtee ackors cald my great lot; alsoe, four ackors of land adjoyning to his barne, being purchased of Walter Edmunds; alsoe, given to my sone Nehemiah Hunt one featherbed and boulster, the best bedd, two pillowes, one pilowbier, two cours sheets and one coverlit, one bed cord, one cushine, one pair of andirons, one small ketle, one ould bible, two other books, one bushel meassur.

Item, I doe give and bequeath unto my Sonn Isaake Hunt seven ackors of land with a hous upon it purchased of Baptist Smedley and Joshua Edmunds; alsoe, two ackors of medow, more or less, lying in my second devision; alsoe, twenty ackors of upland in the twenty scores; alsoe, fiftye ackors of land in the second devision already laid out and bounded; alsoe, sixteen ackors of the lot purchased of Walter Edmunds running ouer the great hill; alsoe, two ackors of medow lying within the second devision of Jeams Blood; alsoe, a little piece of medow purchased of John Smedley. Alsoe, I doe give and bequeath to my sonn Isaake Hunt one feather bed and boulster, two pilloues, one red rug, one blanket, one pillow bier, one fine sheet; alsoe, the bedstead in my hous at Concord, one great ketle, one sword and belt, one Iron Calibo in my hous at Concord.

Item, I doe give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Barns two oxen in the hands of Henry Kearlye, of Lancaster, with rent due for them from the said Kearlye, one old kow, one two year old heifer; alsoe, one cubers cloth, one Cushin and bed valients, all of the same work; alsoe, one small Cushin; alsoe, I doe give to her child one morter and pestle; alsoe, my Will is that the rest of my peuter not disposed of an a brass scumer be equally devided between my two sonns Nehemiah and Isack Hunt; alsoe, my Will is that all that right in the village belonging to any of my lands in Concord be equally devided between my three sons, Samuell, Nehemiah and Isack Hunt; alsoe, given to my sonn Nehmeiah Hunt one winscote Chest; alsoe, to his daughter, one owlde trunke; alsoe, my Will is that my son Isack shall have that pieee of land cald Everel's lot; alsoe, my will is that my son Samuel Hunt should make a deed of saele of that eighteen ackors of land that I sould to Joseph Lampson; I say that my Will is that my sonn Samuel make the said

deed to Joseph Lampson, and take twenty shillings ay year for four years, and at the end of that said term to take possession of the said land in case the said Joseph doe faile to pay fifteen pounds, which is the som of the purchase of the said land, to be delivered in the bay in merchentable wheat, beefe, or porke; alsoe, I doe give unto my sonn Samuel that kow or the prise of the kow that is in the hands of goodman Beman at Lancaster, which by agreement is four pound ten shillings; further, in lue of the owld cow and heifer willed to my daughter Barns, I doe bequeath to her four pounds ten shillings in the hands of Jeremiah Rogers, and four pounds five shillings in the hands of Josiah Whitcume, both of Lancaster; alsoe, to my sonn Samuel I doe bequeath one two year owld heifer, for his son William Hunt; alsoe, to my son Samuel my best Cloath suit and coat, and the rest of my cattell not disposed of to be devided between my two sonns Nehemiah and Isack Hunt equally, and they to bear the Charge of my funerall, and to pay three bushels of wheat to my three ouerseeors; alsoe, I doe appoint my three Sons to be my lawful executors, and my beloved friends Luke Potter, Thomas Broune and Thomas Bateman to be my ouerseeors. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand.

WILLIAM HUNT. {SEAL}

Signed and sealed in the presence of }

JOHN RIDEAT, Senior,
THOMAS RICE, and
PETER BENT.

[The following on the reverse side:]

Whereas, tis said in my Will that the rest of the cattle not disposed of shall be devided between my two sons, Nehemiah and Isake Hunt, my Will now is that my sonn Nehemiah shall first choose one of my fat oxen, two of the said undisposed cattle being fat oxen, and the remainder of the said catel to be devided as in my Will is expressed; further, my Will and pleasure is that my son Isake Hunt shall keep for his own use the rent of my land improved by him this present year. As I have my three sonns executors, together, of this my will, soe my Will and pleasure is that they should take in all such debts as shall apear to be due to me; and alsoe to discharge any such debts as appeare to be due to any *other* from mee excepting

only what I have betrusted with my beloved Coussane Potter. As witness my hand this 23, 8, 1667.

WILLIAM HUNT. {SEAL}

Read, signed and owned in the presence of }

WILLIAM WARD,
JOHN RIDEAT, Senior,
PETER BENT.

[Will proved Dec. 17, 1677. See Lib. III, p. 63, Probate Records, Cambridge, Mass.]

APPENDIX XXXI.

TESTIMONY OF MRS. ELIZABETH TRUEMAN.

The Testimony of Mrs Elizabeth Trueman and Mrs. Susannah Ffox:

They both Declared of theire certain knowledge that they very well knew and were well acquainted with Robert Isbell, sometime of New London, Deceased, and that at his Decease he left two children named Eleazer and Hannah Isbell, and that shee the s[d] Hannah Isbell was married to Thomas Steadman, which s[d] Steadman had by his s[d] wife two children, a Son and a Daughter; the Son's name was John, the Daughter's name Ann Steadman, who married to Benj. Loster.

The above s[d] Ann Steadman was born June, 1668.

John Steadman was born Dec. 25, 1669.

[Book 3, New London Records.]

APPENDIX XXXII.

NUNCUPATIVE WILL OF ROBERT ISBELL.

We, Nathaniel Dudley and Joseph Willcocks, being present at the house of Robert Isbell in Killingworth, when he lay on his death bed, on the 5th of February last past; and the said Isbell then called to us to come to his bed side, and we being come thare, he desired that we would take notice that it was his desire that his wife should have the Improvement of his Estate while she Remained his widow, and when the children come of age that his wife may dispose of the Estate to the Children, as she thinks best; and further, he said that his wife might have it written if she desired it; and according to our best understanding he was of a disposing mind at the time; and this by our desire was committed to writing on the 9th of s[d] Aprill, out of which what is above written is more fairly drawn.

At a Prerogative Court held in New London on the 12th of August, 1718.

NATHANIEL DUDLEY, { SEAL }
JOSEPH WILLCOCKS.

[On the reverse side:]

Nathaniel Dudley and Joseph Willcocks, subscribers on the other side of this paper, appeared in a Court of Probate held in New London, August the 12th, 1718, and made oath to what is thare written.

Test: GEORGE DENISON, Clerk.

[Recorded Aug. 13, 1718, in the 4th Book of Wills, on fol. 102.]

APPENDIX XXXIII.

WILL OF NOAH ISBELL OF LENOX.

In the name of God, amen: I, Noah Isbell, of Lenox, in the County of Berkshire, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being weak in body but of a sound mind, blessed be God, do this thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, publish this my last Will and Testament: Namely, to my son Nathan I give and bequeath my house and barn and Fifty acres of land, being situated in said Lenox, and is the farm on which I now live; I also bequeath to him all the farming tools of which I am now in possession; I also Will and direct my son Nathan to pay my son Oliver Eleven pounds ten shillings Lawful money in addition to Thirteen pounds nine shillings and eight pence which he has already received out of my Estate, and that he pay to said Eber Eleven pounds ten shillings in addition to six pounds which he has received of my Estate, and that he pay to Eli six pounds eighteen shillings in addition to ten pounds twelve shillings which he has already received, as aforesaid; which legacies Nathan is to pay to his brothers Oliver, Eber and Eli within three years after my decease as their full portion out of my Estate, and I direct that the expenses of my funeral shall be paid by my son Nathan.

I give and bequeath to my daughters, Jerusha, Hannah and Assenath, all my household furniture, to be equally divided between them, according to quantity and quality, immediately after my decease. My eldest daughter, Bathsheba Tuilet, has already received her free proportion of my Estate.

I also direct a looking glass, one bed and bedclothes and pewter, the property of my late wife, be given to her daughters in equal proportion, and that the children of one of said daughters deceased shall have their mother's share.

This my last Will and Testament I make the day and year

above mentioned. Whereunto I set my hand in presence of the witnesses who were present when I signed the same.

NOAH ISBELL. {SEAL}

Witnesses:

JOHN STOUGHTON,
JOSIAH OSBORN,
BILLY ISBELL.

Will probated June 4, 1805.

[Berkshire County Probate Records; Isbell Papers.]

APPENDIX XXXIV.

GRISWOLD DEPOSITIONS.*

[*Reprint from "The Griswold Family of Connecticut," by Edward Elbridge Salisbury:*]

"The testimony of Edward Griswold, aged about 77 years, is, That about the yeare 1639 Mr. Wm. Whiteing (deceased) was undertaker for a shipp in England, in which shipp I came to New England, . . . and at that time many passengers came ouer, severall of which settled at Windsor, and a generall expectation there was at that time, as appeared by discourse, of many more passengers to come, and some of note, . . . by which means land at Windsor, near the towne and ready for improvement, was at a high price. . . . But afterward people that were expected out of England not coming in such numbers as was looked for, and some returning to England,† and others removing to the seaside, the lands at Windsor fell very much in price."

"The testimony of Matthew Griswold, aged about 64 years, is, that John Bissell, sometime of Windsor, now deceassed, did offer to sell mee all that part of Mr. Ludlowe's accomodation, both of houseing and lands, which hee bought of Mr. William Whiteing (as hee told mee), which lay on the west side of Connecticut Riuer in the township of Windsor, . . . and I beeing not accomodated to my mind where I liued at Saybrook, and haueing kindred of my owne and my wiues at Windsor, was willing to dwell at Windsor; . . . also, I went and aduised with my father-in-law, Mr. Wolcot, who told me I had bid high enoffe. . . . Further, I testifie that, when I came ouer to New England, about the year 1639,

* *The Griswold Family of Connecticut*, by Edward Elbridge Salisbury, Esquire; *Magazine of American History*, February, 1884.

† Plainly in consequence of the rising power of the Parliament, before the Civil War had operated to drive Englishmen away from their mother country.

land was at an high price, and that the price thereof fell very much in some yeares after." *

"George Griswold, aged about 67 years, testifyeth as followeth: That in his youthfull years he lived with his father, in England, in a town called Keillinsworth† in Warrackshire; he did severall times since hear his father, Edward Griswould, say that the house they then lived in, and the lands belonging thereto, was his brother Matthew Griswould's; and have lately seen a letter, under the hand of Thomas Griswould, of Keillinsworth above s^d^ directed to his brother Matthew Griswould aforsaid, wherein the said Thomas Griswould intimated that he did then live in the above said house, belonging to his said brother Matthew Griswould aforesaid."

"May 9th, 1700. George Griswould appeared before me in Hartford, and made oath to y^e^ above testimony.

"Joseph Curtiss, Assistant." ‡

"The testimony of Captain George Griswold, aged about 72 years, and the testimony of Mr. John Griswold, aged about 69 years, they both being sons of George Griswold, the Deponents being both of Windsor, in the County of Hartford, and Colony of Connecticut, in New England, is as follows, viz: That our Grandfather's name was Edward Griswold, and it was formerly and has ever since been always accepted and reputed that our said Grandfather's father's name was George Griswold, and the said George Griswold our Great Grandfather had three sons, the eldest named Edward, the second named Matthew, and the third or youngest son named Thomas, and the said Edward, the eldest son, and the said Matthew, the second son, came into New England from Killingsworth in Warwickshire in England; and in all our discourses amongst the families of the said Griswolds in New England, together with other elderly observing gentlemen, they are and have ever been so accepted and reputed to be, without contradiction or gainsaying, according to the best of our remembrance.

"And the Deponents further add and say that the above named Edward Griswold's eldest son has always been called and reputed

* Conn. State Archives, Private Controversies, ii docc., 203, 204. MS.

† In Queen Elizabeth's time Kenilworth was called Killingsworth.

‡ Original document to be found at the New London Probate Office.

to be Francis Griswold, without any contradiction or gainsaying as aforesaid that we know of." *

"Windsor, in Hartford County in Connecticut, New England: Personally appeared on the 19th day of January, Anno Dom., 1737–8, Captain George Griswold and John Griswold, the above named Deponents, and made solemn oath in due form of law to the truth of the above written testimony, before me,

"HENRY ALLYN, Justice of the Peace."

* NOTE.—This copy was given to the late Rev. F. W. Chapman by Mr. J. S. Griswold, of Benson, Vt., whose brother, Mr. W. D. Griswold, now of St. Louis, Mo., writes me respecting the original paper as follows: "As regards the original paper, I remember to have seen it on occasion of a visit I made to my native home in 1841. My father, then alive, showed it to me, and I read it over and over with great interest, and I then took a copy of it, which I think I have sent to some inquirer without retaining a copy of the copy. The affidavit was evidently taken in aid of some pending legal proceeding, or in anticipation of some legal use. *It was inherited by my Father with the old papers and muniments of his father*, and that is all that can be said of its history." In another letter Mr. Griswold says: "I read it over repeatedly, and critically observed the paper, old and faded, and the writing, of style verifying its age." These two Griswold brothers are descendants of Edward Griswold, through his son Francis.

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